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THE BEST RESULTS . . .
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MEIN IS IN PRISON.

A Well-Known Oaklander Is Charged With High Treason.

BOERS ARE SEEKING REVENGE.

America Proposes to Intervene and Protect Her Citizens.

OLNEY DOING GOOD WORK.

Great Britain Asked to Keep an Eye on Our Interests.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—The Cape Town correspondent of the Pall Mall Gazette cables that the persons arrested by the Boers at Johannesburg include the following additional Americans:

P. J. KING.
CAPTAIN MEIN.
CHARLES BUTLER.
J. S. CURTIS.

A dispatch to the Pall Mall Gazette from Cape Town published today says the latest advices from Pretoria state bail has been refused the ringleaders of the recent disturbances at Johannesburg and the other people arrested in the same connection have been liberated on $5,000 bail each.

The dispatch adds it is expected severe measures will be taken against the ringleaders of the uprising, in spite of the fact it is apparent they were deceived and taken by surprise by Dr. Jameson's incursion.

Sir Hercules Robinson, Governor of Cape Colony, it appears, made effort to secure leniency for the prisoners; but the extreme section of the Boers are much incensed and very difficult to control.

The new ministry for Cape Colony is regarded as a device to shield ex-Premier Cecil Rhodes, and Sir Hercules Robinson.

Rhodes, it is said, is in very bad health.

Advices from Johannesburg say the Uitlanders are expecting the Boers to make a house to house search for arms, and it is stated the Germans have been holding meetings and passing resolutions telling Emperor William to mind his own business.

Dr. Jameson and his lieutenants, as far as known, are still at Pretoria.

The Times says the officials of the British South Africa Company deny Jameson was deposed from the post of administrator of their territory on recommendation of the company.

WELL KNOWN HERE.

Captain Thomas Mein Was a Resident of This City.

Thomas Mein is very well known here. He resided in Oakland for a number of years before he went to Africa, where latterly he has centered all his mining efforts. Whenever he sought relaxation from his work he generally found it in a trip to his former home in this city, which was located at 676 Eighteenth street. His family comprises a wife and three sons—Thomas Mein, Jr., Robert, aged 23, and William, aged 21 years.

Mr. Mein mined for a time in Placer county, but later worked a claim in Alaska.

He was then attended by his son Thomas, who about three years ago was accidentally killed by a blast while he was working in the mine. The remains of the unfortunate young man were brought to this city and interred in Mountain View cemetery. The funeral was largely attended by people because the deceased and his family were both known and esteemed in the community.

About three years ago Captain Mein went to Africa, having been impelled to confine his attention to that region owing to the unfortunate accident in Alaska which deprived him of his son. He was then accompanied by his other sons, Robert and William, both of whom were educated in the High school in this city and the latter of whom was a graduate of the institution.

Since then but little has been heard from them.

Captain Mein was a native of Scotland and besides taking an active interest in the work of mining was one of the most expert mining engineers on the coast. His services commanded the highest remuneration and were always in demand.

IN HAMMOND'S BEHALF.

Prompt Measures Are Already Taken by Secretary Olney.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Senators Perkins and White of California called at the State Department today to urge Secretary Olney to take such steps as are necessary to secure the proper treatment of John Hays Hammond, the American mining engineer, reported to have been arrested by the Boer officials at Johannesburg on a charge of treason in connection with the recent rising of Uitlanders in the Transvaal.

Secretary Olney informed his callers he had cabled Mr. Manyon, United States consul resident at Johannesburg, to do everything proper for the protection of all the American citizens in the Transvaal.

Ambassador Bayard was cabled by Secretary Olney to secure from the foreign affairs office in London direction to the British representatives in South Africa to use their good offices to protect American citizens.

The secretary assured the California Senators that the American citizens in the Transvaal cannot be tried for treason and Hammond's life is not in danger.

The [illegible] that can be done, it is said, is to fine or imprison him, but it is probable the fine can be avoided.

Senators White and Perkins express satisfaction at what has been done in Hammond's behalf by the State Department.

Dyspepsia cured by using Adam's Tutti-Frutti Chewing Gum after each meal.

SOON TO BE SETTLED.

The Venezuelan Squabble Seem on the Eve of an Agreement.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—The Westminster Gazette this afternoon, touching upon the boundary line between Great Britain and the United States, says it sees no castles in the clouds, hopes that a settlement satisfactory to Great Britain and the United States will be arrived at with Venezuela direct. It intimates the Brazilian minister is closely identified with the latest proposed solution to this controversy.

It was learned this afternoon that the cabinet council Saturday considered the question of re-establishing diplomatic relations with Venezuela, but no definite conclusion was arrived at.

Regarding the alleged statement by the foreign office that Canada had not agreed to the Behring sea arbitration treaty, the foreign office today authorized the Associated Press to say the foreign office never made any such statement, adding:

"The matter is in the way of being entirely settled and it is possible within a few days Sir Julian Pauncefote and Secretary Olney will reach a complete and explicit understanding."

In response to Secretary Olney's cablegram Ambassador Bayard this afternoon, cabled the British Secretary of State for the Colonies had given him assurance he had instructed her majesty's high commissioner in South Africa to extend the same protection in behalf of John Hays Hammond and any other American citizens involved in charge of the rebellion in the Transvaal as would be shown in the interests of British subjects in like circumstances.

These cablegrams are believed here to be significant as indicating a better understanding between the two governments than was generally supposed to exist.

GOOD BUSINESS SENSE.

Pitcher Breitenstein Will Not Depend Wholly on Baseball.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 13—Theodore Breitenstein, the speedy left-handed pitcher of the St. Louis Browns, who, it is stated, will leave that team next season, will enter the Southern Illinois league and play with the club representing the city of Chester.

He is not going to depend upon his base-ball playing for a living, but, backed up by moneyed men in Chester, will open a billiard and pool room there.

This is the story given out by his friends.

Asa Hazen, connected with the penitentiary there, is Breitenstein's chief backer.

Breitenstein's friends say his decision in the matter is final and irrevocable.

DEFENDED HER HERSELF.

The Floor-walker of a Dry Goods House Shot by a Clerk.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 13.—In the dry goods house of L. S. Ayres & Co. this morning Miss Ruth Gordon, a clerk, fired two shots at Harry Purviance, a floor walker.

One shot made an abrasion in Purviance's side. The second shot failed to take effect.

Purviance overpowered his assailant before she could fire again.

Miss Gordon charged Purviance with unmanly conduct toward her.

Purviance is married.

A NEW CAUSE OF ALARM.

Secessionists Are Said to Have Started a Movement in Hawaii.

The Dole Government Will Be Badly Hampered by Such a Change.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—The special correspondence of the Associated Press from Honolulu by the steamer Australia, dated January 6th, states the Island of Hawaii is meditating secession from the Hawaiian government and the formation of its own government.

When the Legislature meets next month the secession movement will be brought up.

If the residents of Hawaii should decide to form their own government, nothing but outside interference could prevent it.

The Dole government would be powerless, as Hawaii is more thickly populated than any other island of the group.

Minister of Foreign Affairs Cooper is now on Hawaii trying to ascertain how widespread is the desire for secession.

Friends of the ex-Queen are anxious for war between England and the United States, believing that in the event of such hostilities England would seize the Hawaiian islands and restore Liliuokalani.

Carl Klemme, exiled from the islands for conspiracy in connection with the 1895 rebellion, has returned, accompanied by his wife. He was given no permission to return and has been notified by the government if he does not leave at once he will be prosecuted for conspiracy. He says he will stand trial rather than leave.

The remaining political prisoners were released on New Year's day. They all agreed to support the present government.

E. P. Dole, formerly of Riverside, Cal., cousin of President Dole, has been made deputy attorney general.

The Hawaiian band, reported starving in an Ohio town, will be brought home at the expense of the government.

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STOP THE OUTRAGES.

A Resolution Regarding Turkey Is Placed Before Congress.

CHRISTENDOM IS AROUSED.

America Asked to Take a Hand in Stopping the Massacres.

THE DAY AT THE CAPITAL.

Morgan Makes Another Speech in Favor of Free Silver.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Today being the second Monday of the month, was, under the rules, set aside for consideration of business relating to the District of Columbia.

Before Chairman Babcock claimed the day, Morse (Rep., Mass.) presented the following resolution for reference to the committee on foreign affairs:

Whereas, the most mournful tragedy of the nineteenth century, has been and is now being enacted under the apparent sanction of the Sultan of Turkey, by which hundreds of thousands of Armenians are being ruthlessly slaughtered in cold blood, women being driven into captivity worse than death, and the inhabitants who have fled to the mountains are dying of cold and starvation.

Whereas, the blood of these martyred dead to cry to heaven for justice.

Resolved, That the committee on foreign affairs consider the expediency of reporting forthwith some expression by this government in the denunciation of these atrocities, and if they find we as a nation are powerless to act, that we invoke the co-operation of the allied powers to wipe the Turkish government off the face of the earth and secure freedom and independence for Armenia.

The resolution was referred.

The House then entered upon a consideration of district business.

Two unimportant bills were reported, after which the House went into committee of the whole to consider the pension appropriation bill.

THE SENATE.

Hill and the North Carolina Senators Are Still at it.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The Vice President today laid before the Senate a letter from the Secretary of the Treasury, in reply to the resolution of inquiry presented by Peffer as to whether a hundred million dollars in gold had at any time been set apart from other funds. The Secretary states this has never been done, there being no provision of law authorizing it.

Call (Dem., Fla.) submitted a number of petitions regarding Cuba, and asked that they be printed. Objection was made by Platt (Rep., Conn.)

The controversy between Mr. Hill and the North Carolina Senators occupied the Senate till 2 o'clock, when a free silver measure was advocated by Morgan of Alabama.

NOMINATIONS.

The President today sent the following nominations to the Senate:

Justice John A. Marshall, to be U. S. District Judge of Utah.

John W. Judd, attorney of the U. S., district of Utah.

Nat M. Brigham, Marshal of the U. S., district of Utah.

THE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

The Senate committee on judiciary today decided to report favorably the nomination of Charles B. Simonton to be District Attorney of the Western district of Tennessee. This appointment was opposed by Senator Harris and charges were filed, but were not regarded sufficient by the judiciary committee.

THE NORTHERN PACIFIC.

Arrangements for the Supreme Court Proceedings Over the Receivers.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The lawyers of the Northern Pacific railroad case have made an engagement with Justices Harlan, Field and Brewer of the Supreme Court for the presentation of the facts in those cases tomorrow.

They will ask to have the road either placed under one receiver or under one set of receivers, who will have charge of the road as an entirety instead of the present plan of numerous independent receivers.

The circuit of each of these judges cover a portions of the road.

THE SILVER CRUSADE.

Schemes That the Friends of the White Metal Are Watching.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—It is understood about the Senate that Senator Jones of Nevada is quite as anxious to serve the cause of silver in connection with the tariff bill as he is to promote the sugar interest.

Most of the silver men are of the opinion that the plan of the anti-silver Republicans is to get the House tariff bill through both Houses and have it sent to the President, by whom they think it will be vetoed.

This would raise the tariff question and tend to make it the sole issue in the approaching campaign.

The silver Republicans suspect that this is the wish of their anti-silver colleagues, and some of the former class are determined to if possible prevent the consummation of this scheme.

They think this can be done by putting a free coinage amendment on the tariff bill and it is altogether probable that an effort will be made in that direction.

It is said that Mr. Jones would co-operate heartily with his Republican silver friends in this direction.

He is acting as a Populist, and it is remembered in this connection that the Populists in their caucus a few weeks since declared for a silver amendment in the tariff as well as in the bond bill.

It is also considered good tactics in the fight for the silver sub-bond bill to hold the tariff bill in suspense for the present.

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NO MORNING SERMON.

Dr. De Witt Talmage Gives a Notice to His Flock.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Rev. Dr. DeWitt Talmage read among his notices last night the following:

"An outrageous wrong has been done me by many of the newspapers of this country concerning my pastorate in the church, and I call upon all newspapers who believe in fairness to state the following facts:

"'I have been preaching here in the evening by my own choice. As very many more people come to our church in the evening than can get inside the building, many of them standing in the street an hour and a half before the time of service, there was a petition, signed by all the board of elders and all the board of trustees and sanctioned by Dr. Sunderland, handed me inviting me to preach Sabbath mornings as well as Sabbath evenings. I much prefer to preach only in the evenings and certainly am not to blame because I have been petitioned to preach in the mornings. I now wish it distinctly understood that I will not, under any circumstances, preach the morning services.'"

DIED AS A DESPERADO.

A Negro Who Would Allow no White Man to Take Him Alive.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEWMANSVILLE, Fla., Jan. 13.—Chased by a posse, Harry Jordan, a negro desperado, wanted for murderously assaulting Dr. J. N. Cloud, took refuge in an unoccupied house near Alachua yesterday afternoon.

The negro barricaded the doors and swore he would kill the first man who attempted to enter.

The posse poured volley after volley into the house without injuring Jordan, who returned the fire with his Winchester.

The torch was applied but Jordan made no effort to escape.

He stood in the center of the burning building and fired his Winchester in a vain effort to kill some of his pursuers.

The roof of the building fell in and he was buried by blazing debris.

He freely boasted that no white man could take him alive.

BUSHNELL IS IN OFFICE.

He Succeeds McKinley as the Governor of Ohio.

The Retiring Executive Honored In a Neatly-Worded Speech.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 13.—The inauguration ceremonies inducting Asa S. Bushnell into the office of Governor began at 11 A. M., when Governor McKinley and staff and a joint legislative and citizens committee met him at the hotel and, escorted by troops of Cleveland and the Fourteenth regiment of the Ohio National Guards, proceeded to the State house, where Governor McKinley, addressing the multitude in the rotunda, referred in appropriate terms to the occasion, presented his successor with his commission and introduced him as Governor Bushnell.

Governor Bushnell made an extended address, concluding: "At the most fitting of all times it gives me the greatest and most sincere pleasure to congratulate you upon the honesty, dignity and wisdom of the administration of Hon. William McKinley as chief executive of the State. Ohio has been honored by him even as he has been honored by Ohio. May his destiny lead him to a pathway where he can give for the whole American people the same excellent service he bestowed upon his fellow-citizens of Ohio."

IN KENTUCKY BOURBON.

The Blue-Grass State Wants Its Ship to Be Christened Appropriately.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—A dispatch from Lexington, Ky., says whisky, not wine, will be used for christening the new battleship Kentucky.

Miss Hattie Richardson, who has just been selected by Secretary Herbert to perform the ceremony of naming the great engine of war, has so decided.

Miss Richardson is the great granddaughter of Commodore Bainbridge. She has met with distinguished triumph at the national capitol in New York, Brooklyn and San Francisco.

ASKED TO ASSIST.

The Assessor to Aid the County in Preparing the Register.

RECOMMENDATIONS ARE MADE.

Many Knotty Legal Points in Connection With Election.

A REPORT TO THE BOARD.

The Supervisors Handle a Matter Interesting to Voters.

The following opinion of the District Attorney on several subjects referred to him was rendered by Mr. Snook and read by him before the Supervisors at their meeting this morning:

On the questions submitted to me by the Board of Supervisors of the county of Alameda, my opinion on the same is as follows:

First question: "When can the register be canceled?"

The law as amended in 1895 provides that when a new registration of voters is required by the Board of Supervisors that the same shall be commenced 160 days before a general election and shall continue for 75 days thence next ensuing, when the same shall cease. Similar language to the above was construed by the Supreme Court in passing upon the amendment to the same section, passed in 1889. The facts of said case were as follows: One Welch, possessing all the requirements of a voter in Fresno county, was enrolled on the Great Register of said county prior to the 16th day of January, 1892, and on said last named day the Board of Supervisors made an order canceling the Great Register and providing for a new and complete registration of the voters of said county, and the Clerk of said county immediately thereafter commenced the registration of voters. On the 17th of March following, the said Welch, upon his own application, and upon proper affidavits, had his name entered on said Great Register. His attention being subsequently called to the language then existing in section 1094 of the Political Code, which then read as follows. "Such registration (new) shall commence 100 days before a general election and shall continue for 85 days thence next ensuing, when such registration shall cease," he concluded that the registration of his name, made, as it was, more than 100 days prior to the ensuing general election, was invalid, and therefore within said 100 days he applied to the Clerk to register his name anew, which demand was refused.

The Supreme Court says: "The object of the registration law is to prevent illegal voting by providing in advance of election an authentic list of the qualified electors.

"Necessarily any efficient system of registration must involve a certain amount of inconvenience to voters, and probably under the best system that could be devised some qualified electors would lose their votes through inability to avail themselves of the opportunities or to comply with the conditions of registration. The law should be so framed, therefore, and when its terms are doubtful should be so construed as to give the fullest opportunity to voters to procure the entry of their names upon the register that is consistent with reasonable precautions against fraudulent registration.

"The necessity of closing the register some days prior to the election, and the danger involved in the registration of large numbers of persons during a short period immediately preceding its close are apparent. But there does not seem to be any weighty reason for narrowly limiting the beginning of the registry. On the contrary, it would seem to be better in every respect, not only with a view to the convenience and security of honest electors, but more especially for the purpose of challenging the right of such person as may fraudulently procure their enrollment, to commence the registration as soon as practicable."

And further continuing the court says: "It (meaning the provisions of section 1094 of the Political Code) is easily susceptible of a construction which harmonizes with the unamended sections and the system of which they are a part. The requirement that registration when a new registry is ordered must commence 100 days before a general election means that it must commence at least that soon, and the effect of the requirement is that the Board of Supervisors cannot cancel the old register and order a new one, less than 100 days before a general election; they cannot, in other words, deprive the voters of that period of time within which to secure registration, but there is nothing in this provision to prevent them from giving a longer time which by various other sections they are directly and impliedly authorized to do."

Concluding the case the court says: "The Board of Supervisors are prohibited by the amendment from cancelling the existing register and ordering a new registration less than 100 days preceding a general election. They cannot allow less, but they may allow more than 100 days for registration, and it must cease fifteen days before the election (for the purpose of that election). The registry of a name in the new register may at any time after the old registry is cancelled and more than fifteen days prior to the election is lawful and valid."

Welch vs. Williams, 96 Cal., 366 et seq.

Construing the section of the Political Code 1094 as it now stands, and applying the reasoning of the court to the same section as it stood in 1889 the conclusion is inevitable, that the Board of Supervisors may allow more than 160 days for registration, and that such registration must cease for the purpose of a general election eighty-five days before such election, and that the registering of a name in the new register made at any time after the old register is cancelled and more than eighty five days prior to the general election, is lawful and valid, and that the Board of Supervisors may at any time order a re-registration before the time fixed by said section 1094, to-wit: 160 days before a general election but not afterwards.

THE PRECINCTS.

In reference to the third question, to-wit,

"Must the precinct be established before registration commences?"

Section 1127 of the Political Code provides relative to election precincts as follows: "The Board of Supervisors or other board having charge and control of elections in each of the counties and cities and counties of the State shall as soon before a general election as is convenient proceed to divide such county, or city and county, into election precincts of which there shall be as many as shall be sufficient to make the number of votes polled at any one election precinct to be not more than 200 as nearly as can be ascertained."

It will be noticed from said section that the precincts should be established as soon before a general election as convenient, and the only limitation as to time when the same shall be established, is found in subdivision 2 of section 1130 of the Political Code, which provides as follows: "No precinct must be established nor must the boundaries of one already established be altered within thirty days next preceding a general or special election."

Subdivision 10 of Section 1096 of the Political Code as amended in 1895 provides: That the entry made in the Great Register by the Clerk must show the place of residence (giving the ward and precinct) in cities and counties of over 10,000 inhabitants, by specifying the name of the street, avenue, or other location of the dwelling of such elector.

Section 1113 of the Political Code as amended in 1895 provided that the Clerk must arrange all registration affidavits and precinct packages as fast as received, and must at the close of registration, where a new registration is required, arrange such previously separated precinct packages and enter the same in separate precinct books; such later entries to be completed at least 72 days before a general election.

It will be noticed that both in section 1096 of the Political Code and section 1113 as above quoted that the same concerns the entries in the Great Register and the precinct register therein required. I would advise therefore that the matter of establishing precincts be done at such time prior to said 72 days before a general election so as to give the Clerk an opportunity to enter the names in the precinct register as is required by law; but that such establishing of new precincts would in no way interfere with the cancellation of the old register, and providing for a new one if the board desired to order a new registration to commence at once, as it is apparent from the reading of the above sections that the Clerk must make these entries from proof established to his satisfaction; and if the street and number and ward of any city having over 10,000 inhabitants is sufficient proof to give the Clerk such information, such entry may be made by said Clerk before such precinct registers are completed.

TO AID THE CLERK.

As to the second question to wit: Can the Board of Supervisors assist the Clerk financially in the preparation of the new Great Register in compiling and making the same? it would seem that prior to the amendment of section 1113 of the Political Code in 1895 the Board had such power, and this view is supported by the authority of Judge Beatty in a concurring opinion in the case of Dougherty vs. Austin, 94 Cal., on page 662, and also in the case of Frandsen vs. San Diego County, 101 Cal., page 317. But as amended in 1895 said section 113 of the Political Code makes no provision for any assistance to be provided by the Board of Supervisors in the matter of registration.

Relative to the fourth and fifth questions submitted to me, to wit: "What are the duties of the Clerk concerning registration of voters, and upon what proof must the Clerk register and what officers are charged with the furnishing of such proof?" it would seem from a reading of the Code that the Clerk is required to keep a register of the qualified electors of the county, and in case of new registration of the voters of the county such entry shall be made of those electors who are entitled thereto and who apply with proper proof.

Sections 1094 and 1095 Political Code.

Section 1096 of the Political Code provides as to what such entries in such Great Register by the Clerk must show, and what proof the Clerk must have before such name of the electors must be entered in the Great Register.

Section 1097 provides: "No person's name must be entered by the Clerk unless.

"First—Upon a certificate of registration in another county, showing that such registration has been canceled, and upon proof by affidavit of the party that he is an elector in the county in which he seeks to be registered.

"Second—Upon the returns of the Assessor of a county.

"Third—If a naturalized citizen upon the production of his certificate of naturalization, which certificate must be issued ninety days prior to the succeed-

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WOULD DO IT AGAIN.

So Said Ben Hill While Talking of Why He Killed His Wife.

HE IS QUITE UNCONCERNED.

Circumstances and Details Leading Up to the Tragedy.

NO PREMEDITATION APPARENT.

Financial Clouds Hovered of Late Years Over Their Conditions.

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It is a mistake, he said, that I looked through the window in the Thompson house. I stood outside for some time waiting for my wife, but I never went to the window. At that time I had no intention of killing her, and as we walked up the street my mind was still free from murder. Just as we reached the corner she told me something, something that no man will know of his wife, and let her live.

And that was? asked the reporter.

That I will not tell. It was a family affair and I killed her.

IN THE COURT

When brought into the court this morning for arraignment Hill's appearance contrasted strongly with that of his fellow prisoners. His clothes were of a black material, neat and well fitting. His linen was clean and his cravat neatly arranged. He wore a black derby hat until the judge entered the room, and when he removed it showed that his hair was neatly brushed. In appearance he would be pronounced good looking. His eyes, though grey, are pleasant, and his hair is black. He is of medium height and just fleshy enough to look good natured.

During the arraignment he displayed the same stoicism that has marked him throughout. He said that his name is Benjamin L. Hill, and the clerk read the complaint charging him with murder, sworn to by Detective Holland. The court instructed him of his right to an attorney, and he said that he had engaged Tom M. Bradley to represent him. Mr. Bradley asked that the case go over until after the coroner's inquest, and the court put the matter off until tomorrow to be set.

THE TRAGIC TALE

The story of the shooting is briefly told. Hill arrived from Oregon Saturday morning and during the day saw his wife. A few minutes before 7 o'clock Mrs. Hill left the house of Mrs. J. H. Thompson at 1369 Eleventh street, with whom she had been stopping, and met her husband on the outside. Together they walked along Eleventh street east to Kirkham and up the western side of Kirkham toward Twelfth street. Just as they reached the corner she told him something evidently of herself, and he drew his revolver and fired. Three shots took effect and she fell mortally wounded. Before a physician could be summoned he was dead.

THE FIRST LINK

The story of their lives since marriage has been one of financial disappointments. Hill was a baseball player in Oakland, but in 1890 went to Suisun to play with the team there. When the season ended the townsmen disliked to part with Hill, for he had made himself popular, and then secured him a position as a barkeeper in the employ of a man named Robbins. It was in Suisun that he met Miss Agnes Nelson, then 17 years of age. They loved and were married in 1891.

Hill bought a saloon, and for a time things looked bright. But times got hard and last March he sold his business and came to Oakland with his wife and baby. He secured a position with the railroad company as a brakeman on a freight train, and the family lived at 1024 Willow. For some reason Hill gave up his position last November and went to Portland. He was unable to secure employment there and could send no money to his wife. She could not meet her rent, and at the request of the owner of the property she moved. Since then she has been stopping with Mrs. Thompson.

All through their struggle with penury it seems that his love for her never failed, and his fondness was the talk of the neighbors. Every one speaks of him as a kind, considerate husband. She is well spoken of, too, and from what Mrs. Thompson says was very fond of her husband.

Every letter she would get from him, says Mrs. Thompson, would make her cry bitterly, and those that he has shown me bore no reproach or complaint regarding her.

As to the wife's acquaintance with the man, stories conflict. Mrs. Thompson says that during the time Mrs. Hill lived with her she had but one male caller, and he was a man who told just of her husband in Portland and came for the purpose of telling her about him. She seldom went out evenings, and when she did she returned early.

Dr. Hamlin held an autopsy yesterday morning. He discovered that one of the bullets had entered the right arm, passed through the neck and was ejected on the right side of the neck. The other entered just above the right ear and ruptured the lateral sinus. This last wound was fatal; the first not necessarily so.

A further fact also brought about by the autopsy was that Mrs. Hill was soon to become a mother. There is some talk of filing two charges of murder against Hill, but owing to the conflict [illegible] it is hardly probable that more than one charge will be laid.

Mrs. Hill's relations consist of a mother who is blind and a sister, Mrs. Minnie Paul, the wife of George Paul. They all live in Suisun. Mrs. Paul is prostrated by the news of her sister's death. They were very fond of each other, and Mrs. Paul contributed large [illegible] Hill's support.

Mr. Paul is the only one of the family in Oakland. He will remain here until after the inquest this evening, and in the morning will leave for home, taking with him the remains of the murdered girl.

Among the effects of the wife were a number of letters, but the one last sent [illegible] sufficient to show [illegible]

[illegible]

Blazer talk much yet? Now please write a good long letter as soon as you get this, but you need not mention what I have written to me. With all my love and many hugs to you and Blazer, I am your loving husband, BEN HILL.

P. S.—I wish I had you and Blazer's picture taken together. Can't you get me one? Please, if you can.

[illegible]

AGNES AND BLAZER

[illegible]

You are young yet and have had experience enough in the past four years to learn to pick out a husband, and also how a wife should treat a husband, as well as how to take [illegible]

My life is a miserable failure. I used to think that there was some good in me, but don't any more. I don't seem to have one spark of a man about me. You can't get blood out of a turnip, neither can you make a man of a —— fool like I am. My one dream of happiness was to have a little home with a loving wife and baby. I had all these, but I didn't appreciate them. I threw them away, and I have just come to realize that I am not fit to have a wife, no home, nor even friends, and I believe that God is punishing me as I deserve. How true those words, "Be sure your sin will find you out." Mine has most surely found me out, but I shall try and bear my punishment and evermore plan nothing of [illegible] and nevermore plan to think of [illegible]

So consider yourself as [illegible] by [illegible]. As I said, I will do my best to help support you and the boy, but you know how I have supported you in the past, and that is all you have to judge the future by. Don't throw your whole life away on a miserable good-for-nothing wretch like I am. Believe me, I will never bother any more than perhaps I may want to see the boy sometimes. It would be better if the boy never knew me or anything of me, for he would only be ashamed to own such a father when he gets older. I am only a hindrance to your happiness, so I make these suggestions that you are better off without me around you, that as soon as you please you can get a separation from me or not, just as you like about that. I don't care, for I shall never force myself upon another woman nor have anything to do with married life again. But with you it is different. You are young and can get some man that is a good man, and you will enjoy a good home and a kind husband all the more for the terrible life I have led you.

God give [illegible] a good pure girl for wife and prospects to be happy all my life. It is a shame that you have been punished for my sins, but you shall not be any more.

I have to tear my heart out. God bless you, my wife, for you are yet mine, and my boy—he will always be mine, although he may never know it. Nothing can ever make him anyone's but "Pop's boy."

Now Agnes, I write this as I believe for your own good, not that I want to get away from you, for I shall always love you, and because I do love you I want to see you happy and enjoy life. I would to God that I could make you happy as your husband, but that has proved a failure. Now this [illegible]. Don't say I am doing this just to get rid of you, or I am not. I shall do my best to get work and send you money, but jobs are very scarce up here. I guess I will be able to get something soon, though, at least I hope so. If I don't I shall have to move.

I sincerely hope that you are well and have gotten over your cold and headache. [Illegible] must be a terrible job for you to move so soon, but Agnes, I only pray that your days of unhappiness are about over, and that your future life will be sunshine. But Agnes, let me tell you this: Don't forget to pray to God that he will give you strength to overcome temptation, for there is no happiness only in living a good life, and please say a prayer for me. Does

A MORNING MURDER.

Councilman Heitmann Uses a Shotgun With Deadly Effect

Councilman Heitmann has dyed his hands in innocent blood—not human blood, but canine. He turned bloodthirsty this morning when his little son Billy Jr. came home with a badly lacerated leg which had been inflicted by a ferocious bull dog kept by a family at Fourth and Brush streets.

The little fellow attends the Grove school and was attacked by the dog when on his way to that institution. The dog sprang for the boy's throat, but he warded the animal off with his umbrella. When Heitmann Sr. heard of the occurrence he loaded the family blunderbuss and took a walk toward the corner himself. The canine saw him coming and was about to give him a warm reception when the Councilman put an end to hostilities with two charges of bird shot.

There have been many complaints about the same dog. It frequently chased the children on their way to school, and with his little gun Heitmann has rendered the community a kindly service.

AN A. P. A. MEETING.

Consideration of the Candidates for Chief Lawton's Place.

A meeting of members of the A. P. A. was held on Saturday evening at the office of Attorney Aldrich for the purpose of considering the applications for fire chief. Candidate William Fair was present and agreed to conform with the obligations of the association. Fire Warden Murdoch was also on hand. He announced that he is no longer a candidate for principal honors, but that he would like to retain his present [illegible].

Those at the meeting were Charles Gunn, Murray Laidlaw, Dr. Thos. Carpenter, C. J. [illegible], Dr. John [illegible], H. S. Aldrich, John Sands, Dr. F. [illegible], Chas. Fawcett, L. M. Phelps, Ed. Lay, [illegible] Poundmaster Wetzel, F. J. Holland and Mr. Mille, the brother of the [illegible] street superintendent.

[illegible] today that the presidents of the A. P. A. councils state that the [illegible] was not authorized by their organization.

NO TRACE OF DE AYALA.

It Is Impossible to Settle Any Bills Against the Estate.

Attorney Mortimer Smith Has a Claim That He Wants Paid.

Attorney Mortimer Smith has a $600 claim in his pocket against the estate of [illegible] De Ayala, and he is looking for Manuel De Ayala, the executor of the estate, who is said to have disappeared. The affairs of the estate have been in the Probate court for some years and they are a long way from final settlement.

Within the last two or three weeks another creditor of the estate has been pressing matters closely, and the result was a settlement of Laurie Morgan's $1,000 note, which has been in process of liquidation for a long time past.

Today Attorney Smith sought to have a claim of his client, L. Dieseo, put in shape for settlement, but he has been unable to find executor De Ayala, and inquiry made by the attorney develops that the executor cannot be located.

When De Ayala's wife died Major J. F. McElrath was named as attorney for the executor. Before he resigned his services were embodied in a claim for $600 against the estate, subsequently the bill was signed by McElrath to L. Dieseo, and now the assignee is looking to the estate for payment of the bill.

The claim was placed in the hands of Smith months ago and was duly filed, but no payment has been made to date.

Interest in the matter was revived some days ago through the sale of some of the realty. The confirmation of the sale was delayed because Attorney Shaw, who represented Morgan, informed the court that De Ayala had been using some of the funds of the estate without warrant. On that statement a continuance was granted. When the matter was before the court a second time Shaw consented to the confirmation on the showing that his client would be paid. The evidence that the executor was in a position to liquidate that claim led Smith to rectify his bill. But he was less fortunate, as De Ayala, for whom he has been searching, seems to have disappeared after settling with Shaw.

Smith says the estate, which was appraised at a valuation of $1,000, is beholden for the claim, but he fears there will be considerable difficulty in collecting it if De Ayala does not appear again.

A STEAMER STRANDED

The James Woodall Is Full of Water and the Crew All Safe.

By Associated Press to The Tribune

CAPE HENRY, Va., Jan. 13.—The steamer reported ashore last night at New Inlet, N. C., proves to be the American steamer James Woodall, with a cargo of sugar and molasses from New Orleans for Baltimore.

The vessel is now full of water.

The crew of two men were saved by life savers.

The Pullman Case.

By Associated Press to The Tribune

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 13.—Judge Butler in the United States Circuit Court today rendered a decision in the case of the Central Transportation Company against the Pullman Palace Car Company, dismissing the exceptions of the latter to awarding $2,002,000 to the Central Company.

The Central Transportation Company was absorbed by the Pullman Company in 188[illegible] and suit was instituted to recover payments of the amount of over two millions alleged to be due.

The Stock Market

By Associated Press to The Tribune

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—The stock market opened active with liberal fractional gains throughout the list. The strength in the market was attributed to more favorable political news from abroad. After 10:15 the market was quiet and featureless. Silver was 66¼c and lead $2.90.

A Correspondent Arrested

By Associated Press to The Tribune

HAVANA, Jan. 13.—Charles Salom, a correspondent of a New York newspaper, who arrived here on the steamer Seneca, was detained by the police, charged, it is believed, with having compromising letters in his possession.

MANY COUNTY CARES

The Supervisors Confronted With a Variety of Work.

APPEALS BY THE DESTITUTE.

Road Matters, Saloon Licenses and Some Election Business.

BERKELEY HEARD FROM.

Endeavor to Get the Blind Indigents From the Infirmary.

The Board of Supervisors met this morning, all the members being present.

After Clerk Jordan had read the minutes of last meeting, applications for relief were read as follows: George Dean of Harrison street, referred to Supervisor Church; Carl, the blind man who sells pencils at the Broadway depot, referred to hospital committee; Charles Ferb of Alameda, referred to Supervisor Church; Mrs. Mary Dixon, referred to Supervisor Talcott; A. G. Duhl, referred to Supervisor Johnston; Mrs. Fitch, referred to Supervisor Pelouze; Mary A. Bureteau, referred to Supervisor Church; Mrs. M. H. Berry of Second avenue, referred to Supervisor Talcott.

LIQUOR LICENSES

Applications for liquor licenses were made by James Casey at Second and Apgar streets, Chris Peterson to sell liquors at San Lorenzo, and J. H. Wurtz to sell liquor at the stockyards.

Deputy County Jailer Lamson sent in an application asking for two mattresses and a pan of venom [illegible].

Coroner Baldwin reported having held [illegible] inquests.

BERKELEY'S ELECTION LAWS

President Richardson of the Berkeley Board of Trustees asked the board to establish the county election precinct lines in Berkeley in accordance with the limits already established there under the new charter. The matter was referred to the special committee on the printing of the Great Register, comprising the District Attorney, County Clerk, the County Surveyor and Supervisors Church and Pelouze.

Mr. Richardson stated in behalf of Berkeley that the making of the Great Register be put off until after February 11th, as the making of a new would entail a hardship on Berkeley, which he said has its schools overcrowded, and in other ways must expend a great deal of money to supply needed accommodations.

Supervisor Church said that, in the opinion of the District Attorney, it is the effect that the County Clerk must make up the Great Register, it would not be advisable to put it off so long that the Clerk would not have time in which to [illegible] the work.

A resolution was then adopted authorizing the County Surveyor to redistrict the county into voting precincts for election purposes.

A petition was received from E. Simonson, Lewis Park, H. W. Walpole, A. Jones, M. W. Kelligan, William Vill [illegible] on, H. S. Lewis, Charles Critchelow and others of Elmhurst, M. S. Milan, Fruitvale, J. J. Burachs and others, [illegible] D. Jackson of Mills Seminary, Manuel Stone of Moss tract, to so reduce the rates lawful to be charged by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies for the use of water in the territory specified outside the corporate limits of the city of Oakland, as will make them uniform with such lawful rates as were recently enacted to apply within the corporate limits of the city of Oakland.

The petition was referred to the ordinance and judiciary committee.

On motion of Supervisor Pelouze, Supervisor Church was appointed a committee to report to the committee of the whole the most reasonable figures that can be procured on office files.

On motion of Supervisor Church the District Attorney was instructed to draft new pound and liquor ordinances, the present ones being defective.

The application of Mrs. Victoria Lopez for aid was denied. She has seven children, an able bodied husband, and resides in Alameda. The application was denied because Mr. Church said the husband ought to support the family.

The application of James Casey at West and Apgar streets and James Dugan of Newark for permits to sell liquors were referred to the judiciary committee.

The application of N. Bernadassi at Forty second street and Telegraph avenue to sell liquors was granted.

The application for aid of Mrs. Sarah Cunningham, aged 7[illegible] years, resident of Pacific avenue, Alameda, was referred to Supervisor Church.

Officer J. Sharp was given permission to sojourn a few days at the county infirmary. In his case the word "Officer" forms the first name and is not a title. Sharp is 7[illegible] years of age, with unkempt hair and beard and the general appearance of a man who is not only alone in the world, but has at the same time been tossed about without much regard to his feelings. He accepted the hospitality of the board with the remark that he was on his way to Mexico and would not tarry long here. He did not say how he was going to travel to the land of the Montezumas.

A resolution offered by Supervisor Johnston authorized the County Surveyor to survey the county road leading into Mission San Jose, to which claim is made by Juan Gallegos for the Palmdale Land Company.

A resolution was adopted ordering the Clerk to post a notice of election at the polling place and three other places within the proposed Adeline Sanitary district, the election to determine whether or not such a district shall be established, to take place February 5th.

On motion of Supervisor Church the Clerk was instructed to correspond with the directors of the Industrial Home for the Adult Blind at Temescal with a view to having that institution take care of five blind indigents in the county infirmary. He said that as the State is supporting blind people it ought to take care of these at the infirmary.

Supervisor Johnston said that he would second the motion in a hearty manner. The blind indigents in question ought to be given a chance to learn how to make a living.

The motion was adopted.

The Clerk said the courts had instructed the board to select 400 citizens as trial jurors.

DIED

MOORE—In this city, January 12, 1896, Annie, beloved wife of James Moore and mother of Mable C. Moore, a native of the Isle of Man, aged 50 years 5 months.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services TOMORROW (Tuesday), January 14, 1896, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., at her late residence, 1123 San Pablo avenue. Interment Mountain View cemetery.

ASKED TO ASSIST.

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ing election or upon his own affidavit that it is lost or out of his possession, which affidavit must state the place of his nativity and the time and place of his naturalization, together with his affidavit that he has resided in the United States for five years and in this State for one year next preceding the time of application, and that he would be an elector of the county at the next preceding election, provided, however, if such naturalized citizen shall have been previously registered as a qualified elector in any of the counties or cities and counties in this State, his name must [illegible] by the Clerk unless he provides a certificate of such registration issued by the party authorized by law to issue such certificate, which certificate shall be prima facie evidence of his naturalization.

Fourth—If born in a foreign country upon his affidavit that he became a citizen of the United States by virtue of the naturalization of his father while he was residing in the United States and under the age of 21 years, and that he is or would be an elector of the county at the next succeeding election.

Fifth—Upon the production and filing of a certified copy of the judgment of a Superior Court directing such entry to be made.

Sixth—In other cases upon the affidavit that he is or would be an elector of the county at the next succeeding election.

Seventh—In every case the affidavit of the party must show all the facts required to be stated in the entry on the register except the line and number of the entry.

THE ASSESSOR'S DUTIES

Section 108 of the Political Code provides: "That the Assessor of each county keep a roll of electors on which, in [illegible] [illegible] upon the Great Register he must enroll the name of any elector in the county [illegible] application to him for that purpose.

Section 109 of the Political Code provides: That such enrollment must show the same facts [illegible] be shown by the entry upon the Great Register.

Section 110 of the Political Code provides: That the [illegible] each month the Assessor must return to the County Clerk [illegible] [illegible] made up [illegible] of [illegible] such enrollment and all affidavits [illegible] the purpose [illegible] such [illegible] ment.

[illegible]

such [illegible]

It will thus be seen that the Clerk's [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Great Register [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Respectfully submitted, CHAS. E. SNOOK, District Attorney.

Dated January 13th, 1896.

HE MUST GO TO TRIAL.

Denial of the Motion to Quash the Indictments Against Whidden.

Judge Frick Settles the Case and Then Exceptions Are Presented

The motions to quash the indictments against County Auditor Myron A. Whidden returned by the grand jury were denied this afternoon by Judge Frick.

The court held that there was no legal ground for the motions to quash so far as they related to the form of the indictments. The fact that the names of witnesses had not been placed upon the indictments was not a valid reason for declaring them void.

Judge Frick said that Whidden could not take advantage of the fact that he had not been present when the grand jury considered the testimony taken that referred to his case. Had it been shown, however, that Whidden had been been refused permission to be present, there would have been a legal ground for quashing the indictment.

Whidden, however, waived his right to be represented before the grand jury when he did not seek such representation when the jury was considering his case.

Judge Frick said the evidence on the motions as touching the insanity of grand juror Held indicated that Held was not of sound mind, but he did not believe that would affect the legality of the grand jury's actions. The court had found no opinion where the Supreme Court had decided either way on the proposition that the death of a grand juror invalidated the action of the body.

Judge Frick said the formal opinion in the matter would be filed on Friday morning. The case was continued until that time, when Whidden will be called upon to be arraigned and to plead.

The District Attorney's office has been represented in the matter by Deputy L. S. Church, and Whidden's counsel is George De Golia.

De Golia asked for time in which to file a bill of exceptions to the decision.

MAY BE A BREAK-AWAY.

Acme Clubmen Are Talking of Defying the Amateur Union.

The Trouble Over the Dues Has Taken a Remarkable Turn

The members of the Acme Athletic Club [illegible] the suspension from the [illegible] Athletic League [illegible] has been unjustly [illegible] to July, 1895. Then [illegible] should have [illegible] But at the same time they [illegible] not legally delinquent in July [illegible] the Acme boys think there [illegible] the [illegible] were a [illegible]

[illegible] the club holding its boxing [illegible] tomorrow night unless [illegible] professional [illegible] the club will hold its [illegible] what may [illegible] to stand independent [illegible] the dues [illegible] in favor of paying the dues. [illegible] to the bottom [illegible] the club [illegible] the [illegible] Athletic League has [illegible] Union and under [illegible]

[illegible] from three weeks [illegible] Athletic [illegible] Pacific Association [illegible] Olympic Club [illegible] for [illegible] of professionals [illegible] the matter [illegible] will be [illegible] The [illegible] She [illegible] formally [illegible] the Coast [illegible]

[illegible] the Acme [illegible] about his [illegible] present ex- [illegible] in favor of the [illegible] is not which [illegible] Athletic [illegible] to give [illegible] As the [illegible] athletic [illegible] without [illegible] enough to [illegible] Athletic [illegible] will be formed on [illegible]

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Notice of time set for proving will, etc., and application for letters of administration with the will annexed.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Mary S. Schofield, deceased, and for the issuance to H. S. [illegible] of letters of administration with the will annexed, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 27th day of January, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. [illegible] of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same, and show cause, if any they have, why said petition should not be granted.

Dated, January [illegible], 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

By J. CAL EWING, Deputy Clerk.

Indorsed, filed January 13, 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

By J. CAL EWING, Deputy Clerk.

W. G. Witter, attorney for petitioner, Mills Building, San Francisco, Cal.

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WANTED—Situation to do general housework by a competent young girl in a small family. Please call 714 Chester st. ...

A RESPECTABLE German girl desires a situation in private family; ... wages from $12 to $15. Address ...

SITUATION wanted by a Swedish girl at cooking or general housework. Good ... Address 811 12th st.

A COMPETENT woman wishes work of any kind by the day. Address 1132 21 st.

SMITH'S—Employment and house renting Agency, cor. 17th st. and Telegraph av.; help of all descriptions and nationalities, those having homes to let please call and give particulars.

A SWEDISH girl, good cook, would do general housework ... girl, good seamstress, etc. If you desire good, reliable servants for work of any kind; male or female, any nationality, leave your orders at the Swedish and German Employment Bureau, 521 Broadway, room 17, or 9th st.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Each girl to mind children. Apply 125 Franklin st.

WANTED—An American girl 15 or 16 years of age to assist in care of ... and willing to learn housework, a good home; small wages after fair trial if satisfactory. Address Merchant, box 78, Haywards, California.

LADIES wishing reliable help, cooks, girls for general housework, waitresses, chambermaids and young girls to assist; I have several Danish and Swedish girls now waiting for positions. Call or address Mrs. Marvin's Hair Store, 1153 Washington st.

SITUATIONS WANTED MALE.

MAN and wife want position on farm; man is competent to do all kinds of farm work, and wife first class cook, best of references. Apply 129 San Pablo av., room 12.

YOUNG Swede who understands garden and greenhouses; good driver, can milk; small wages for winter; for references see Rev. Le Vean, 819 23th st., Oakland.

AGENTS WANTED.

WANTED—Oakland agent with some capital for '96 line of cycles, direct from factory, ten models. Address Cycles, box 635, Station B, Oakland, Cal.

EMPLOYMENT AGENCIES.

MRS. CATTELL—525 8th st.; German, Scandinavian and all nations, male or female referenced cooks, second girls, nurses, waitresses, coachmen, gardeners, etc., awaiting work. Telephone 543.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Either at Becker's market or bet. there and 14th st., a red leather purse. Apply No. 32 Telegraph av. and receive reward.

HORN handled umbrella with silver band, left in large car (S. L. & H. line) at 5 P. M. Thursday, 7th and Washington sts. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at Whitney Express office.

DRESSMAKERS.

ATTENTION LADIES.

Mrs. M. J. Robinson has opened her dressmaking parlors. The most stylish cutting, designing and finishing are done. First class findings furnished, goods if required. Suits well made from $6 to $10. No. 617 San Pablo av., Oakland, Cal.

THE ORLEANS millinery and dressmaking parlors, 111 Telegraph av.; patterns cut to tailor measurement. Mme. Du Staie.

FANCY WAISTS and wrappers made and general family sewing done at very low prices or in families at $1 per day by Mrs. M. I. Shields, 919 Alice st., Oakland.

A DRESSMAKER desires a few engagements by the day; ladies', children's. Stylish. Best references, $1.50 a day, 1405 12th av., East Oakland.

PHYSICIANS' DIRECTORY.

EDWIN J. BOYES, M. D.—Office cor. 12th and Clay sts., telephone 83; residence Hotel Metropole; hours 11 A. M. to 12 M., 2 to 4 and 7 to 8 P. M.

DR. MARTIN, 1156 Broadway; office practice, chronic diseases a specialty; hours 10 to 12 and 1 to 4, free to those unable to pay for medical treatment Tuesdays and Fridays 1 to 2.

D. D. CROWLEY, M. D.—Surgeon, office Central block, 1063 Broadway, Oakland.

J. MAHER, M. D.—Physician and surgeon 1058 Broadway, hours 2 to 3:30, 7 to 8.

WILLIAM R. CHURCH—Physician and surgeon, hours 10 to 12 A. M., 2 to 4 and 6:30 to 7:30 P. M.; patients received and cared for by trained nurses at office and residence, 520 10th st.

PHYSICIANS and oculists of repute have their cards in Tribune Classified.

MEDICAL.

A BLESSING—To ladies, instant relief for monthly irregularities (from whatever cause), longest established and most experienced ladies' physicians in San Francisco, who restore all cases at once by an improved and painless method, superior to all others; ladies who are sick or in trouble will save time and money and be assured of honest treatment by consulting the doctors before calling elsewhere, patients who have been imposed upon or unsuccessfully treated by others especially invited. Board and skillful attention during confinement in private house where ladies will find all the comforts and privacy of a refined home, with the attendance of a regular physician, competent nurses and a mother's careful and kindly supervision; all treatment warranted; advice free and confidential. Dr. and Mrs. Davies, 14 McAllister st., San Francisco; hours 10 A. M. to 4 and 7 to 8 P. M.

DRS. GOODWIN makes a specialty of diseases of women and restores all cases of irregularity in one day, guaranteeing a cure or no charge; home for patients; best skill, medical attendance; low fees; regulator $2. 1370 Market st., S. F.

DRS. C. C. & G. W. O'DONNELL—Office and residence, 701 Washington st., near Kearney, and 765 Market st., San Francisco, office hours 10 A. M. to 4 P. M., and 7 to 8 P. M.; particular attention paid to diseases of women and children.

ARCHITECTS AND ENGINEERS

McMANUS & STANLEY—Architects and superintendents. Rooms 26 and 27, Canning block, 1115 Broadway.

WINES AND LIQUORS.

A DRY TRIP across the bay; best wines, liquors, mineral waters and fresh beer on tap, together with best cigars and bounteous lunch at the Alameda Exchange, No. 7 Market st., San Francisco. Peter Harder, proprietor.

SCHLITZ MILWAUKEE BEER depot; C. H. Kuchs, proprietor, 468 12th st. Oakland; private entrance for ladies.

ECLECTIC PHYSICIANS.

H. T. WEBSTER, M. D.—Office 1065 Washington st.; hours, 1 to 4 P. M.; home telephone 714-7.

NOTARY PUBLICS.

O. I. DENISON—Notary public, real estate; houses rented. 472 10th st.

REMOVED—N. W. Winton, notary public and dealer in real estate, has removed to 958 Broadway between 9th and 10th. Call and see his list of properties.

OCULISTS AND AURISTS.

B. T. MOUSER, M. D.—Eye, ear, nose and throat. 1115 Broadway.

REAL ESTATE.

HIS FAITH IN THE MUTUAL LIFE.

Mr. George H. Ripley, for many years president of the Home Life Insurance Company of this city, was a policy holder in The Mutual Life and a persistent one. In 1847 Mr. Ripley became insured in The Mutual Life for $3000. The policy was increased by dividends and finally became a death claim for $11,189.

There are several very remarkable features connected with this policy, viz:

1. The amount of dividend additions credited to the policy at death was more than twice as much as the original insurance.

2. Besides giving a $3000 insurance protection the combined amounts of policy and all premiums paid.

3. Besides giving a $3000 insurance protection for over forty-nine years, the company paid the face of the policy.. 3,000
Returned all premiums........ 4,851
With an excess of dividends amounting to........ 2,738

Amount of claim........ $11,189

Mr. Ripley was a persistent policy holder, always paying the premiums in cash and in full, and while being a life insurance man connected with another company he showed his confidence in The Mutual Life by not insuring in any other institution.

The result attained on this policy is one of the best in the history of the Mutual Life. Commencing with $3000 in 1847 the insurance increased by dividends to $11,189 in 1895.

This is a phenomenal dividend record probably never before equaled in the history of any other life insurance company.

If you wish to secure corresponding results apply to Oakland agent,
W. E. BARNARD, 458 9th st.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT.

THREE sunny furnished rooms, hot and cold water, all modern conveniences, central, near all cars, reasonable. 32 9th st.

MR. AND MRS. D. J. OUTRAM having purchased the Hammond House, No. 407 San Pablo av., and having renovated the same throughout, are prepared to rent suites of rooms suitable for housekeeping at reasonable rates according to location and furniture; also single rooms. The Hammond House is strictly a first class family apartment house.

NICELY furnished room (board optional), refined family, bath, gas, home comforts, near Adeline station; 1966 7th st; reasonable.

FOR RENT—A large furnished sunny front room. Apply 811 Alice st., S. E. corner 7th.

SUNNY furnished or unfurnished rooms for housekeeping; very central location; rent reasonable. 411 9th st.

THREE or four furnished rooms to rent; located in central part of town near Narrow Gauge depot; 225 9th st. Hot and cold water. All conveniences.

THE best way to find something you have lost is to advertise in Tribune Classified.

FLATS TO RENT.

FLAT—Three large, sunny, nicely furnished rooms for housekeeping; closets; bath; adults; references; rent $25. 615 15th st., near Grove.

HOUSES TO RENT.

WANTED—To rent; furnished cottage of four or five rooms in good locality, rent not to exceed $8 or $10. Address C. T., box 3, this office.

TO LET—Furnished cottage 5 rooms, bath; also gas; terms reasonable. Please apply at 817 21 st., near West st.

A LITTLE house of two rooms all furnished for housekeeping. Call at 813 Fallon st., Oak st. station.

A LADY owning her own house in a fine and convenient locality would rent a large, handsomely furnished, sunny front room, with or without board. All conveniences. Address X. Y. Z., box 2 Tribune.

TO LET—Fine house of 12 rooms, all modern conveniences, 973 5th av. Key next door, cor. house. Rent reasonable.

FOR RENT—Five acres in Fruitvale, house of 4 rooms, stable, good well and pump, two acres orchard bearing; for sale, 2 dozen thoroughbred brown Leghorns, 1 Medallion No. 7 range in perfect order. E. Highman, 810 E. 15th st.

TO LEASE—On account of departure, fine 9 room cottage, stable and beautiful 1 acre garden; rent reasonable to right party. Apply on premises. Thomas, East 24th st. and 23d av.

TO LET—House of 9 rooms including bath, 515 5th st., near Washington. Apply at office of Oakland Journal, cor 7th and Webster sts.

$12 A MONTH for furnished cottage, near two lines of cars, stable, chicken yard, flowers, everything complete, or will sell on easy terms. Inquire F. Springsteen, 1955 Broadway, room 1.

LOVE in a cottage. You can take your pick of a hundred cottages by reading Tribune Classified.

ROOMS AND BOARDING.

A WIDOW lady with one child would like one or two children to board; receive a mother's care. Address L. G., box 1, Tribune.

LA CLEDE HOTEL—Sunny offices and furnished rooms with or without board, to let, single or en suite, at reasonable rates; centrally located to both trains and street railways. Apply 1116 Broadway st., Oakland.

ROOM and board can be had in private boarding house, pleasant sunny rooms, heated by furnace. References, 1406 Alice st.

PLEASANT home, near business center; sunny rooms, pleasant grounds and excellent table. 156 E. 12th st., cor. 3d av.

HALLS TO LET.

GRAND Army Hall to let one night a week. Apply Chas. Jurgens, 1116 Bdwy.

STORES TO LET.

FINE business corner, for grocery or variety store; good chance; low rent; call at Adeline and 34th st. C. E. Boman, Oakland.

CLAIRVOYANTS.

MRS. JEPSON tells past, present and the future, ladies 25c; gentlemen 50c. 775 ... st., bet. West and Brush sts., Oakland.

MADAME NELSON reads head and palm, also cards, tells past, present, future; consultation on all affairs; price 50 cents; several hundred recommendations, 906 Washington, cor. 8th st.

MRS. HENDEE ROGERS—Psychometrist. Test and healing medium. Sittings daily. Cir. Mon., Fr. eve's, 462 9th st., Henry House.

MRS MAY—Genuine clairvoyant; born with a veil, a trustworthy friend to persons in danger or misfortune anxious to see their way out of trouble; not to be classed with untruthful pretenders and charlatans, fees reasonable; advice on business matters a specialty; letters answered. 843 Franklin.

DENTISTS.

J. M. DUNN, D. D. S., 1155 Broadway, rooms 27, 28, 29. Office hours 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

FURNITURE FOR SALE.

FANCY ROCKERS—All prices and grades, tables, chairs and fancy goods for presents; come and see us. H. Schellhaas, 408 11th st.

CITY REAL ESTATE IMPROVED

IN SAN FRANCISCO—3 fine lots and house, rents $5 price $650; first applicant has the preference. Address box 2212, San Francisco.

FOR SALE—At a sacrifice, a 6 room modern cottage with 2 attic rooms; lot 37½x100 on east side of Harrison near the corner of 5th st., Oakland. Apply to Albert Schmidt, 620 E. 12th st., E. O.

PIANO TUNERS.

R. F. HORNING for fourteen years with A. Bruenn, the only piano maker in Oakland; repairing a specialty. 1069 Franklin bet. 11th and 12th sts.

REAL ESTATE.

LAYMANCE REAL ESTATE & INVESTMENT CO.,
NO. 466 8TH ST., OAKLAND, CAL.

$6000—Completely furnished, price reduced from $8500; 2 story, 9 rooms and bath, lot 50x125; Myrtle st., near 10th; special bargain. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$3100—2 story, 8 room house, just completed; lot 35x122; very cheap place and extraordinary easy terms. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$500 CASH, $4250—Balance monthly; just completed; 8 room residence; lot 31x115; 12th st., local cars, 5 blocks of local. A complete home. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st. 100A

$4500—Lovely new 10 room colonial residence just completed, replete with every modern convenience; within 7 blocks of 14th and Broadway; exceptional location terms to good parties $500 cash; see at once. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$1000—New modern residence 8 rooms and bath, 5 minutes walk of 14th and Broadway; choicely located; terms only $700 cash. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$750—A bargain, cottage of 4 rooms, high basement and stable, lot 50x122, 2 blocks of Fruitvale av. cars, price reduced from $1250; terms to good party. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$3000—Make offer; estate must be closed; 6 room cottage with lot 41x122 choicely located at Center st station. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Company, 466 8th st. 100A

$20 CASH—$7.50 per month, buys a choice lot 25x137; price $600; street sewered and within 3 blocks of Fruitvale station. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

Properties shown and information cheerfully given.
Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

A. J. SNYDER & CO.
REAL ESTATE BROKERS,
467 NINTH STREET.

FOR RENT, $20—House of 6 rooms and bath on corner of 21st and West sts.

FOR RENT, $18—On north side of 24th st. east of San Pablo av.; owner will repair and put same in good condition.

$5000 TO LOAN—In terms of $500 to $1000 on improved suburban real estate or city property.

WM. P. TODD,
OAKLAND HOMES.
SUBURBAN HOMES.
1008 BROADWAY.

TODD'S DECEMBER BARGAINS.

$2000—Worth $3000; cottage of 6 rooms and bath; large lot; within 10 minutes' walk of City Hall; sunny side street.

$4500—Worth $6000; house of 7 rooms and bath and all modern conveniences; lot 46x100 feet; five minutes walk of City Hall; sunny side street; fine location.

$1400—Cottage of 4 rooms and bath; corner lot; a bargain.
WM. P. TODD, 1008 Broadway.

THE LARGEST BARGAIN offered in four years.

300x160—Within 1 minute's walk of electric road and 7 minutes' walk of local train; ½ block of land; $2780 will buy it; only $1670 cash; balance can remain on mortgage, it's a snap!

If you want to know about it address,
ROBERT A. JACKSON,
Real Estate, Loans, Notary Public.
496 Tenth street.

MINING AND REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE,
ROOM 15, 855 BROADWAY.

EXCHANGES made for any kind of property.
GOLD GRAVEL MINE wanted in exchange for clear land, house or lots.
LOAN WANTED on clear land or lots.
EXCHANGE 80 acres of rich valley land for house, lots of gold gravel claim; will assume mortgage.
PIANO wanted in exchange for land or lots.

MUSICAL.

PROFESSIONAL teacher of piano; organ and singing; two lessons a week at $5 per month; either one; scholar of Prof. Mueller. Inquire at 271 9th st.

PROF. LOUIS EISENBACH—Graduate of Vienna Conservatory. Piano-forte, voice culture and opera. Brunswick Hotel, 9th and Washington.

MARION CLARK—Banjo, violin and mandolin teacher; banjo taught by Clark's simplified method; banjos rehealded and violin bows rehaired, all kinds of musical instruments repaired; music furnished for dancing. 1955 Broadway.

CITY REAL ESTATE UNIMPROVED.

"WHERE ARE YOU GOING
my pretty maid?"
"I'm going to the Fruitvale
Terminal Tract, sir,"
she said, (to buy a lot).
Lots $100 up; very easy terms. D. Pratt, Fruitvale station. The McCarthy Co., San Francisco.

SEARCHERS OF RECORDS

DURAY SMITH—Searcher of records and conveyancer, Alameda county. Office 495 9th st., bet. Broadway and Washington sts., Oakland.

REAL ESTATE AGENTS.

GEO. B. M. GRAY—Real estate broker; houses rented and built. 463 9th st.; telephone No. 221.

F. C. WATSON—Real estate broker, 463 9th st.

A. J. SNYDER & CO.—Real estate, houses built for sale on installment plan and to rent. 467 9th st.

ALDEN & GARFIELD—Money brokers; houses built on the installment plan; tel. 319. 902 Broadway.

CHEAP land; illustrated book for 2c.; M. I. Griffin, Cottonwood, Shasta Co., Cal.

H. B. PINNEY—Lots $150, $1 a week. 909 Broadway.

W. L. PRATHER—Real estate, notary public, insurance broker. 478 10th st.

JAMES S. NAISMITH—Real estate broker and notary public. Tel. 478. 463 9th st.

J. W. MOSS—Real estate, notary public; money to loan. 958 Broadway bet. 9th and 10th sts.

FOR EXCHANGE.

WANTED—To exchange a good double seated buggy for a good bicycle. Inquire B. P. Lausten, 869 Broadway.

WANTED—To trade piano for carpenter work. Clark Wise & Co's. 1108 Bdwy.

CIVIL ENGINEERS.

T. W. MORGAN and Ross Morgan, civil engineers, room 57, Macdonough block, Oakland; room 150, Crocker building, San Francisco.

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY to loan in sums to suit on property; 8 per cent. G. G. Baker, 962 Bdy.

OAKLAND COLLATERAL Loan Co., 925 Broadway, near 9th st.; liberal advances on diamonds, watches, jewelry, silverware, pianos, guns.

MONEY TO LOAN in sums to suit at reasonable rates. Prime bargains in real estate; houses to rent. D. F. McDonald & Co., No. 462 9th st.

LEGAL.

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes for the Year 1895.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1895.

To all tax payers in the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, tax collector of the County of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said County of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California.

Notice is herby given that the assessment book for State and County taxes for the year 1895 on all property within the County of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, every day (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the first Monday in October, 1895, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said County of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

First Monday in October,

in the Year 1895,

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda County, situated in the City of Oakland, in said county, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in November,

1895,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1896, five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda county for the year 1895, will be payable to the undersigned, tax collector of said Alameda county, as aforesaid, at the office of the tax collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1896, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April, 1896,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the first Monday in October, 1895, all the taxes whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

First Monday in October,

1895,

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes both first and second installments will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 12th day of October, 1895.

JAMES B. BARBER,

Tax collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

SCHOOL BONDS FOR SALE.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, California, made October 28th, 1895, sealed proposals will be received at the office of the treasurer of said county at the Hall of Records of said county, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, until 12 o'clock noon, on the 1st day of February, 1896, for the purchase of three bonds of the denomination of Five Hundred Dollars each of Newark School District of Alameda County; at which said time said proposals will be opened and said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidder for cash in United States gold coin, subject to the provisions hereinafter set forth. Said bonds were issued by said Board of Supervisors under and in accordance with the provisions of Section 1880 to 1888, both inclusive, of the Political Code, and in conformity with an order of the Board of Supervisors of said county passed October 28, 1895, and bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum from date until paid, interest payable on the first day of February of each year, out of and from the Building Fund of said Newark School District upon presentation and surrender to the treasurer of said county of the interest coupons.

Said bonds are to be numbered consecutively one to three inclusive and are to mature as follows, to wit:

Bond numbered One, one year from date.

Bond numbered Two, two years from date.

Bond numbered Three, three years from date.

Bids will be received for one or any larger number of said bonds up to three. All bids must be equal in amount to the par value of the bonds bid for and accompanied by a certified check or cash deposit in the sum of at least 10 per cent. of the amount of the bid, payable to the Clerk of the Board of Trustees of Newark School District of Alameda County. The said check or deposit will be returned in case of rejection of the bid, and be forfeited to the Board of Trustees if the bidder neglects to pay for the bond or bonds he bids for at his five days after notice of the acceptance of the bid.

Upon the opening of said proposals said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidders for cash in United States gold coin subject to the above provisions.

All bids or proposals are to be addressed to the "Board of Trustees, Newark School District, care O. M. Sanford, Treasurer of Alameda County," and endorsed "Proposals for Bonds."

F. FALK,
JULIUS WILDERMUTH,
C. G. HEALY, Clerk,
Trustees Newark School District, Alameda County, California.
Dated December 2?, 1895.

Adjudication of Insolvency.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of D. M. Needham, insolvent debtor.

D. M. Needham having filed in this court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, by which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said D. M. Needham is hereby declared to be insolvent.

The sheriff of the County of Alameda is hereby directed to take possession of all the estate, real and personal of the said insolvent debtor, except such as may be by law exempt from execution and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep the same safely until the appointment of an assignee herein.

All persons are forbidden to pay any debts to the said insolvent debtor, or to deliver any property belonging to said insolvent debtor to him or to any person, firm or corporation or association for his use.

The said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this court, except as herein ordered.

It is further ordered that all the creditors of said debtor whose claims shall have been placed on file in the office of the Clerk of this court at least two days prior to the 17th day of January, 1896, be and appear before the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, in open court at the court room of said court, Department No. 3, in the County of Alameda, on the said 17th day of January, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, to prove their debts and choose an assignee of the estate of the said debtor.

It is further ordered that this order be published in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the County of Alameda, as often as the said newspaper is printed before the said day set for the meeting of creditors.

And it is further ordered that in the an assignee of the estate of said insolvent debtor be stayed.

Dated January 8, 1896.

JOHN ELLSWORTH,
Judge of the Superior Court.

Frederick C. Clift, attorney for petitioner, 453 Eighth street.

Endorsed. Filed January 8, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. H. Mason, Deputy Clerk.

LEGAL.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA.

Advertisement for Plans and Specifications.

Notice is hereby given that the regents of the University of California will receive at the office of the Secretary of the Board of Regents in South Hall, in Berkeley, Alameda County, on or before 12 o'clock M. of January 17th, 1896, plans and specifications in detail for three buildings to be erected in San Francisco, grouped together in one harmonious design on the site selected by said Regents for the use of the Affiliated Colleges and Departments conducted in San Francisco.

The amount appropriated to be expended for the erection of said buildings is $250,000; and $125,000 thereof is available for the 47th fiscal year and $125,000 thereof is available for the 48th fiscal year.

The sum of $500 will be awarded to the architect whose plans and specification may be adopted as a premium and full compensation therefor, provided that upon the adoption of such plans and specifications said architect execute and file with the Board of Regents of the University of California a good and sufficient bond with two sureties thereto in the penal sum of $5000 to be approved by the said Board, or its duly authorized agent therefor, conditioned that within 60 days from the date of said bond said architect will upon presentment to him enter into a contract containing such provisions and conditions as said Board of Regents may require, and also conditioned that he will give such further bond to secure the faithful performance of said contract, with such securities as may be required of him in the event that said Board of Regents should within 60 days require said architect to enter into such contract to erect said buildings at the price named herein to be expended for the erection of said buildings.

This advertisement is made under and pursuant to an Act of the Legislature entitled "An Act to regulate the erection of Public Buildings and Structures" approved April 1st, 1872, (Stat. of 1871-2, p. 925) which Act is hereby referred to and made a part of this advertisement.

By authority of the Board of Regents.
Dated December 18, 1895.
J. H. C. BONTE,
Secretary of the Board of Regents.
Berkeley, December 18, 1895.

POSTPONEMENT.

All persons interested are hereby notified that the time for receiving said plans and specifications mentioned in the above advertisement is hereby postponed and extended until 12 o'clock M. of January 31, 1896.

And further, that all the information possessed by the committee as to the site of said buildings and the requirements of said affiliated colleges and other departments of the University, can be had by printed circular at the office of Regent Reinstein, No. 217 Sansome street, San Francisco, and at the office of the Secretary at Berkeley, California.

By direction of the Committee on Grounds and Buildings.
J. H. C. BONTE,
Secretary Board of Regents.
Dated Berkeley, December 28, 1895.

SUMMONS.

CLARA HATTIE FULLER, Somers, Conn.,
vs.
CHARLES A. FULLER, Oakland, Cal.

Order of notice.
State of Connecticut, County of Tolland, ss.
Rockville, January 4th, A. D. 1896.

Upon the complaint of the said Clara Hattie Fuller, praying for reasons therein set forth for a divorce, now pending before the Superior Court in and for Tolland county, to be held on the first Tuesday of February, A. D. 1896,

It appearing to, and being found by, the subscribing authority, that the said defendant is residing in Oakland, State of California, and absent from this State,

Therefore ordered, that notice of the pendency of said complaint be given by publishing this order in the Tribune, a daily newspaper printed in Oakland, California, and in three successive issues of said paper, commencing on or before the 20th day of January, A. D. 1896, and by depositing a copy of said complaint, citation and order of notice in the postoffice, postpaid at Rockville, Conn., directed to said defendant at Oakland, California, on or before the 10th day of January, A. D. 1896.

LYMAN TWINING TINGIER,
Clerk of the Superior Court for Tolland County.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of John Green, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of John Green deceased, and for the issuance to Anna Green of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court and that Monday, the 13th day of January, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, December 26, 1895.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
Mullany, Grant & Cushing, attorneys for petitioners, 104 Sutter street, San Francisco, California.

NOTICE OF SALE!

One heifer, the property of James H. Swift, pastured on the Hewston ranch, Alameda County, California, will be sold at the Hewston ranch ten days after date to pay pasturage and advertising charges on same.

S. E. HEWSTON.
Oakland, January 2, 1896.

DIVIDEND NOTICES.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

The Oakland Bank of Savings, Oakland, Cal.—For the six months ending December 31, 1895, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and one-tenth (4 1-10) per cent per annum, on all savings deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Thursday, January 2, 1896. Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of dividend as the principal, from January 1, 1896.

W. W. GARTHWAITE, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—MUTUAL SAVINGS Bank of San Francisco, 33 Post st.—For the half year ending December 31, 1895, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and one-fifth (4 1/5) per cent per annum on term deposits and three and one-half (3½) per cent per annum on ordinary deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Thursday, Jan. 2, 1896.

GEORGE A. STORY, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—THE UNION Savings Bank, Oakland, California. A dividend has been declared to depositors for the six months ending December 31, 1895, at the rate of four and one-tenth (4 1-10) per cent per annum on all savings deposits, payable on and after January 2, 1895.

A. E. H. CRAMER, Cashier.

MEETING NOTICES.

ANNUAL MEETING NOTICE.

Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank of Oakland, California. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the corporation, No. 1102 Broadway, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, on Tuesday, the 14th day of January, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M.

By order of
EDSON F. ADAMS, President.
James C. McKee, Cashier.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The Oakland Bank of Savings, Oakland, Cal., December 23, 1895. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Oakland Bank of Savings will be held at the office of the corporation, corner of Broadway and Twelfth streets, Oakland, on Monday, January 13, 1896, at 3 o'clock P. M.

ISAAC L. REQUA, President.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE UNION SAVINGS BANK, Oakland, California.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Union Savings Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the banking house, southeast corner of Ninth and Broadway, on Tuesday, January 14, 1896, at 2 o'clock P. M.

A. E. H. CRAMER, Secretary.

ANNUAL MEETING STOCKHOLDERS, UNION NATIONAL BANK.

The twenty-first annual meeting of the stockholders of the Union National Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the corporation, northwest corner of Twelfth and Broadway streets, Oakland, on Tuesday, January 14, 1896, at 3 o'clock P. M.

C. E. PALMER, Cashier.
Dated December 14, 1895.

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AMUSEMENTS.

Macdonough—Aramenti Concert Co.
Oakland—"The Train Wreckers."
California—"Macbeth."
Baldwin—"Daughters of Eve."
Columbia—"The Lost Paradise."
Tivoli—"Lixion."
Morosco's—"The Fugitive."
Orpheum—High Class Vaudeville.
Alcazar—"My Precious Baby."

THE WEATHER.

FORECAST MADE AT SAN FRANCISCO FOR 36 HOURS ENDING 7 P. M. JANUARY 14, 1896.

Northern California—Cloudy weather and probably light rain tonight and Tuesday; stationary temperature; southeasterly winds.

Southern California—Cloudy weather and probably light rain along the coast tonight and Tuesday, stationary temperature; southeasterly winds.

SAN FRANCISCO AND VICINITY.

Continued cloudy, threatening weather and probably light rain tonight and Tuesday; stationary temperature; southeasterly winds. A. M'ADIE,
Local Forecast Official.

MONDAY ..... JAN. 13, 1896

Rev. Minot J. Savage, for many years the Unitarian pastor of Unity church in Boston, has been called to the pastorate of the Church of the Messiah in New York. Mr. Savage came to California about 33 years ago and served several small Congregational churches in this State. He is now regarded as one of the ablest Unitarian ministers in the country.

An Eastern paper notes that the great corn harvest of the Southern States is moving off to Europe. Six vessels bearing over half a million bushels sailed from New Orleans on Saturday, the largest carrying 175,719 bushels for Rotterdam and Hamburg, the greatest single cargo ever shipped from that city. Europe is taking an unusual amount of American corn this year and some of the southern ports are securing a full share of this form of commercial business. Consumers in European countries have begun to realize the value of corn as a food staple, and the opportunity of a foreign market will prove of inestimable value to growers.

In 1887 there were 12,983 miles of railroad constructed in this country, but in the year just closed only 2,782 miles were constructed. In railroad construction during 1895 Texas leads with 224 miles, while Pennsylvania is credited with only 86 miles of new line. It is evident, however, that the bottom has been reached and a moderate revival in railway building may be looked for this year. With cheap materials and plenty of labor that sort of enterprise is bound to assume new form, although the figures of the year 1887 are not likely to ever again be reached. The railroads of the United States aggregate over 180,000 miles and the rail mills are more largely occupied with the betterment of this mileage than in turning out a produce for new ventures.

The New York Sun learns from a Washington dispatch that the "Union Iron Works concern of San Francisco has intimated to the Navy Department that it would not refuse to build duplicates of the Kearsarge and Kentucky at the same cost, $2,250,000 each, with an addition of three per cent, for the expenses of transporting material to the Pacific coast.

"Three per cent, or $67,500 is a fair reckoning for this extra amount, Secretary Tracy having allowed $60,000 on the same ground in the case of the Oregon, now under construction by the San Francisco firm. Hence, if the report is correct, a very brief bill in Congress would secure us the starting at once of two more armorclads like those awarded to the Newport News yards."

A Boston correspondent of the Springfield Republican roasts Harvard College in this way: "It is the weakness of my alma mater, the old lady of Harvard, that she never could accept the doctrine of the wisdom of the multitude; her doctrine is that of the elder Pharisees: 'This people which knoweth not the law is cursed.' She ranged herself on the side of England in disputes that led to the war of 1812; she could not endure Madison nor Jackson, nor Garrison, nor Emerson, nor Phillips till they had the government overwhelmingly on their side; she kotowed to Webster when he kotowed to the oligarchy of the South; and she seems to be ranging herself again on the side of peaceful, righteous, civilized England which is just now verifying the good things her advocates are saying about her by sending a force of soldiers into the South African republic to provoke the most needless of wars."

Bugs Under the Stones.

It was Dr. Holmes who said substantially that reformers were like the man who turned over a flat stone in the field and then saw all the bugs break for cover. Governor Budd as a reformer has turned over several political stones and has had the fun of seeing the bugs scurrying for a place of refuge. He turned over a stone in the school book department and found strange things under it. Raymond, for instance, will have to break for a new cover. This he intimates he will do as soon as the money appropriated for his use is gone. Of course if the money would only hold out this leech would hold on indefinitely.

Governor Budd will have an opportunity to turn over several more political stones during the year. He will find bugs under nearly all of them. When a little more light is let in they will scurry for a new cover. The Governor seems to know just what stones to turn over, and has a pretty clear idea in advance of about how many bugs he will find under them.

Engineer Hammond and the Dutch.

John Hays Hammond, a mining engineer who went from San Francisco to South Africa some time ago, has fallen into the hands of the Boers. This announcement has created some excitement in San Francisco, where Hammond is well known. It is not at all likely that any injustice will be done to the engineer. Hammond was the right hand man of Cecil Rhodes, the English premier of Cape Town, who has been forced out of office on a charge of complicity with Jameson in the raid on the Transvaal. Rhodes appears to have been the prime mover behind the scenes. Hammond, as his confidential man, must have known all about the plans that had been formed at Cape Town.

If these plans had been successful Rhodes would have been in high feather. There would not have been the least need of any forced retirement. Hammond was a member of a reform club in Johannesburg, which was in full sympathy with the plans that had been matured at Cape Town. All these ramifications have direct reference to a revolution in the Transvaal. The Boers have demanded among other things, damages for the raid and the expulsion of Rhodes from Africa. They have laid hands on an American who stood very near to Rhodes and is supposed to have known all about his plans, even if he was not actually engaged in promoting them. The Jameson incursion having been a failure, the Boers are now looking for the mischiefmakers. They hold that it is enough that foreigners should be allowed to make fortunes in some of the richest mines in the world without undertaking to overturn the government that makes these large concessions. The Boers are not given to mining. They hold that foreigners who enter that country must conform to the laws and be content with the large fortunes they are making. Hammond himself had a very large fortune in sight at the time of his arrest. The Boers probably do not care a copper about his social position in San Francisco. If he has done no wrong his liberty is not greatly endangered. If in any way he has been mixed up with the Jameson raid, the inspiration of which is traced to Cecil Rhodes, Dutch justice will probably be about the same for Hammond as for any other foreigners who conspired against the government.

Of Certain Barricades to Temptation

Certain ministers have recently given notice that hereafter they will establish barricades against temptation. Whether this results from any conscious weakness or from mere prudency is a matter of little importance. But why give any such public notice at all. There are thousands of good men who go about their daily business without thinking it desirable to inform the world that they are going to erect breastworks against all carnal assaults. They manage to get along without any extraordinary trials to their virtue.

No doubt ministers have some extraordinary temptations. But they are supposed to have had a special training to resist them. Now the minister who supposes he is compromised by allowing women at reasonable hours to enter his study or office takes rather a low estimate of what goes to make a strong and sterling character. He can be accessible to all his congregation without compromising himself. Christ in the course of his brief ministry, accepted the hospitality of "publicans and sinners." He went into their houses, sat down at their tables, conversed with some who had led abandoned lives. The Pharisees criticized his conduct. But he justified it by saying he came not to call the righteous but sinners to repentance. He was not afraid of compromising his character. The lowest and meanest creature could find access to him.

Men of strong character walk in their integrity. There are none who may need their counsel more than those who are cast down and are without friends. Why should any of these deem it a wise precaution to erect new breast works or to double lock their study doors? Their mission calls them to meet temptation as strong men. But a public notice that any preachers are not strong enough to resist it, and must therefore build some extra clerical fences, sounds strangely in this year of grace.

Three European Powers in Accord.

When the German Emperor sent a message of congratulation to the President of the Transvaal that a conspiracy had been defeated, there was more than one sting in it for the English. Russia and France were in accord with Germany. It was in some sense the joint rebuke of three great European Powers. Nothing like that had occurred for more than a quarter of a century. There were no warlike threats on the part of these nations. There was simply an expression that they did not approve of the British policy of aggression in Africa.

This expression was interpreted as warlike by the British government. Here were three nations in full agreement that a warning note was called for by the situation. If England could conspire for the overthrow of the Dutch Republic, what other possession in Africa would be safe? Then England began to bluster and muster its squadrons on the sea. There is little prospect of a European war. Great Britain will not invite it, and there is little evidence that the other powers want it.

For a good thrust under the short ribs the Sun can do it with unction, as witness the following: The Hon. Hamlin Garland, a poet, novelist, reformer and literary man of the modern school, which believes that everything homely is beautiful and everything tedious interesting, is to begin work soon as an art missionary. After he has dashed off a few more masterpieces he will lecture on American art, and carry his lectures and a collection of American pictures into the big and the little cities of the West. He intends to cultivate the "art instinct" in his hearers, and possibly in himself. He must have a great deal of it, for he sedulously keeps it out of his writings. It is understood that American painters take kindly to his expedition into art and lecture, and will be glad to lend him pictures. They argue that folks out West will cheerfully buy all the American pictures they can get hold of rather than have Mr. Garland lecture to them and expand their art instincts.

Here is one of the many reasons why William Watson, the English poet, did not receive the laureate. He had not blown the trumpet sufficiently for England. This is his latest counterblast:

Never, O craven England, nevermore
Prate thou of generous effort, righteous aim!
Betrayer of a people, know thy shame!
Summer hath passed, and autumn's threshing floor
Been winnowed; Winter at Armenia's door
Snarls like a wolf; and still the sword and flame
Sleep not, thou only sleepest; and the same
Cry unto Heaven ascends as heretofore:
And the red stream thou might'st have staunched, yet runs;
And o'er the earth there sounds no trumpet's tone
To shake the ignoble torpor of thy sons:
But with indifferent eyes they watch, and see
Hell's regent sitting yonder propped by thee,
Abdul the Damned, on his infernal throne.

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GOOD WORDS.

To maintain an opinion because it is thine, and not because it is true, is to prefer thyself above truth.—Venning.

He that resolves upon any great and good end has by that very resolution scaled the chief barrier to it.—Tyron Edwards.

We cannot too often think there is a never-sleeping eye, which reads the heart, and registers our thoughts.—Bacon.

I argue not against heaven's hand or will, nor bate a jot of heart or hope, but still bear up, and steer right onward.—Milton.

Riches without charity are worth nothing. They are a blessing only to him who makes them a blessing to others.—Fielding.

The intellect of man sits visibly enthroned upon his forehead and in his eye, and the heart of man is written upon his countenance.—Longfellow.

Our own opinion of ourselves should be lower than that formed by others, for we have a better chance at our imperfections.—Thomas a Kempis.

Forever from the hand that takes one blessing from us, others fall; and soon or late, our Father makes his perfect recompense to all.—Whittier.

It is the old lesson—a worthy purpose, patient energy for its accomplishment, a resoluteness undaunted by difficulties, and then success.—W. M. Punshon.

We should be careful to deserve a good reputation by doing well and when that care is once taken, not to be overanxious about the success.—Rochester.

Revolutions are not made, they come. A revolution is as natural a growth as an oak. It comes out of the past. Its foundations are laid far back.—Wendell Phillips.

The mind is found most acute and most uneasy in the morning. Uneasiness, is indeed, a species of sagacity—a passive sagacity. Fools are never uneasy.—Goethe.

Names for Her Guests.

A well-known Louisville girl whose brains have won for her the reputation of being one of the most brilliant women in the city, held a book party recently at her house and the names she gave some of her acquaintances were so excellent that I feel it my duty to give the public the benefit of them. Misconsideration for the people named will not allow me to give their right names, but you can draw your own conclusions and I dare say that the right people will be spotted in more than one instance. "Great Expectations" is the pseudonym which has been given to a young lady who believes that she will eventually win the heart and hand of a man of birth and fortune. Unfortunately, she has not yet met this man. "The Sign of the Lyre" is the name that has been given to a well known matron, for what reason I can only guess. Several well known spinsters have been dubbed "Plain Tales From the Hills." These ladies—or girls, as they prefer to be called—are just chuck full of stories which have become threadbare from constant telling.—Louisville, Ky., Post.

Kindness Misapplied.

A certain woman, with a small income and a large heart, has a family of impecunious cousins—mostly girls of the type that cannot earn their own living, and let themselves helpessly down upon the nearest available benefactor. She worried over them last winter considerably, because she was sure the necessities of life were running low in their little house, and she finally gave up her Christmas presents to her own family and sent the cousins a check instead. Two weeks later she met two of the girls at a tea—they always go to everything—and to her amazement each wore a handsome gold buckle at her waist. "Dear Cousin Jane," one of them said effusively, "we were so grateful for your gift! We have wanted buckles for a year, and now we have gotten them through your kindness."—Harper's Bazar.

A MENU FOR TOMORROW.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 14TH.

BREAKFAST

Fruit
Farina Sugar and Cream
Broiled Chops Egg Omelet
Buckwheat Cakes Coffee

LUNCH

Grilled Oysters in chafing dish
Cold Slaw Pickles
Baked Apples Wafers
Tea

DINNER

Chicken Soup from Bones
Veal Cutlets Tomato Sauce
Sheet Potatoes Lima Beans
Fruit Salad
Cornstarch Pudding
Wafers Cheese
Coffee

Dimensions of the Grab

Mr. John Bach McMaster, the historian, in an exposition of the Monroe doctrine, contributed to the New York Times of yesterday, pointed out the fact that Great Britain was trying to exercise "squatter sovereignty" in Venezuela, not over 30,000 square miles, as has been stated, but 109,000 square miles—an area which, he says, "is exceeded by no States in the Union save Texas, California and Montana: an area ninety times as large as Rhode Island, fifty times as large as Delaware, thirteen times as large as Massachusetts, and 40,000 square miles larger than the six New England States." Yet Mr. Depew rushed into print a week or more ago with the statement that he had been offered the whole tract for $25,000.—Philadelphia Record.

The first recorded case in which a woman availed herself of the prerogative which leap year grants to "the sex" was that of Miss Jane Metcalf, a pretty girl of 18, of Newport, Ky. On New Year's eve she attended a watch meeting with William Lincoln, aged 23. The bells had hardly finished ringing out their welcome to the infant year when Miss Metcalf delicately broached the subject of marriage to her companion and suggested a life partnership. Mr. Lincoln accepted in a wink and the couple were married the next day.

TOWN OF VLADIVOSTOK.

Street Scenes That Are Characteristic of Russian Life.

Vladivostok has the aspect of an inferior Hongkong, of about a quarter the size. Hills crowded with forts rise around it up to a height of 800 feet. It lies on the south side of a peninsula twenty miles long, called Maravief Amursky, in 43 degrees 6 minutes 51 seconds north latitude, and 131 degrees 54 minutes 21 seconds east longitude. The town is between four and five miles long, but is straggling and unconnected and of no breadth. Some streets are very steep and all are horribly dusty in dry weather, being never watered, and being continually crossed in all directions by droshkas driven at a smart pace. Instead of pavements the streets have "sidewalks" of planks, as commonly seen in new American cities. You take six stout planks, some twenty-five feet long, and lay them side by side, and you continue the process for the requisite unmber of versts of miles (three versts are two miles), and the "sidewalk" is complete, save for a few prons and nails, where the ground is too soft or the foundation degenerated into holes.

The droshkas are driven by red-headed, snub-nosed Russian izvozchiks in low, glazed, stovepipe hats, with very curly brims, red sleeves, pleated black skirts and high boots. In them one often sees, lolling as passengers, a couple of frowsy Chinese, or a still frowsier Corean. The fare is only eighty kopeks, or one shilling and eighteenpence, an hour, or over half an hour; and from point to point there are tenpenny and twopenny fares, according to distance. The regulations forbid charging more, but, with fine irony, allow the driver "to take less if he likes." He may not leave his cab to take care of itself, may not "sing, make a noise, or cause a disturbance;" he must temper his pace to a "town trot," and "keep to the right-hand side of the road."

The troika has a dashing look; the horse in the middle trots under the arched duga, whose object and effect, when properly put on, is to keep the shafts at the same distance apart. The small horses right and left are cantering, and their bodies incline a little outward from the car. In Vladivostok are few complete triple teams; generally there are only the "middle horse" trotting and one other cantering on its near side.

The water barrel on wheels, drawn by horse or bull, and often driven by a soldier is a frequent sight, carrying water up to the forts and to the upper town. A funnier horse vehicle is the sitastride, cushioned beam, on which izvozchik and chaked and spurred officer sits, with dangling legs, one behind the other—the officer behind.—Portnightly Review.

MANY LIKE THEM.

The Young Wife Found Out That Her Husband Could Dodge a Difficult Question.

The honeymoon was over and they had settled down to show themselves staid and steady old married people.

"Harry," she said, knitting her pretty brows as if greatly perplexed, "I've been trying to arrange things a little systematically today."

"Quite right," he replied. "It's time we were settled and had everything arranged properly."

"Yes, but, Harry, the fact is I—I—"

"You what? Nothing has gone wrong, has it?" he asked anxiously.

"Oh no, but everyone was so kind to us that I find it a little hard to—to. It wouldn't be proper to sell any of the presents, would it?"

"Certainly not."

"That's just what I feared," she said with a sigh. "You see, I don't know just what to do with them all."

"Do with them?" he exclaimed with masculine readiness to settle any question. "Why, use them, of course."

"But how, Harry, how?" she asked. "We have eight clocks, and only a seven room flat."

He gave a low whistle.

"Then we have five dozen silver spoons and four cake baskets."

He began to look perplexed himself.

"There are twelve butter knives and six fruit dishes," she added.

He swore softly to himself but made no suggestion.

"We have three sets of fruit knives, and—"

"Enough," he exclaimed. "Do what you please with them."

"But Harry, I want you to—"

"They're yours," he interrupted. "They were all given to you and not to me, weren't they? It wouldn't be fair for me to assume any right to them when they were expressly given to you."

And thus she learned of man's ability to dodge a difficult question.

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Found Dead in Bed.

Mrs. Pauline Shubert, 54 years of age was found dead in bed at her home, Ninth street and Dwight way, Berkeley, yesterday morning. She had been ailing for some time, but as there was no physician in attendance, the Coroner will hold an inquest. Mrs. Shubert was quite well off financially. She owned her home in Berkeley, property in San Francisco and had considerable money in the bank.

Children at the Josephinum Orphanage, Mission San Jose, Alameda County, Admitted Since October, 1895.

HALF ORPHANS.

Females—Louisa Janssen, aged 10 years; Gertrude Granter, aged 2 years.

Males—Joseph Maggie, aged 11 years; Frank Maggie, aged 7 years; Edward Granter, aged 6 years; George Granter, aged 4 years.

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PROSPERITY FOR OAKLAND

That Is the Only Axe That the Merchants Exchange Is Grinding.

President Geo. L. Fish Sets Straight Some Misrepresented Matters.

President Fish of the Merchants Exchange expressed himself as follows when asked this morning with regard to the Exchange would support the proposed Oakland Exposition and gave it very considerable emphasis

Why of course we will support it We will support everything that is calculated to benefit Oakland The success of the things for which the Exchange was organized We will stand by the merchants who are just about to establish themselves here and who do not contribute to the support of the city We will stand to advance the trade of the business of Oakland Now why should we not support the Oakland Exposition We will back it up Look at what we have done show that we are willing to do something that will benefit Oakland In short the Exchange has confidence in the future but I can't say for certain what it will do in a correct statement of the case

I believe a good exhibit will be made at the time this year which will be in accordance with the interests of the merchants of this city I feel sure that the Exchange will be represented in some way or other I know that Mr Fish has studiously avoided the background in all public events on which the Exchange stood where it was not absolutely necessary for him to come to the front

This fact is perhaps is known to aspire to the position of presidential candidate Mr Fish's name has been mentioned in connection with the position Despite Mr Fish's protestations however it is more than likely that he will be in the position when he is called to it faithfully and well

AN OFT-EXPLODED SCARE.

Another Evangelist Prophesies the End of the World.

He Offers In Support of His Theory the Present Troublous Times

By Associated Press to The Tribune

BALTIMORE Jan 12 Rev Dr H M Wharton promulgates an evening sermon on the millennium and the end of the world in as much as the World's Christ and What They Must Do be said in part

Christ is coming soon He will be a personal coming He Christ is prophet and priest

He will come as King of the Jews to reign He will call the dead from their graves and the righteous still alive will be called together

I believe that the Christian men and women and especially the preachers of the gospel will know no hour about it Men will go on with business as before

I must prophesy is to the time of the coming but according to my belief judging as it does is as near the time

Look at the signs The gospel has been preached to all nations there is a general falling away among Christians from the faith There is great suffering and wisdom such as we have never saw for Christ's sake great earthquakes and war clouds and war talk more precious than ever before

The facts are signs which portend the coming of the King

THE OAKLAND HOME.

Stockholders to Assemble in Annual Session Next Saturday.

The annual meeting of the Oakland Home Insurance Association which is now in liquidation will be held next Saturday afternoon in the Masonic temple at 1 o'clock At the last meeting which was held a year ago there was a remarkable gathering of the stockholders nearly all of whom were far advanced in years and were at one time among the leading merchants of this county There was a lively discussion then held as to the manner in which the closing up of the affairs of the company had been managed which finally resulted in the appointment of a committee on the subject and the retention of Assistant Secretary Sites to prosecute the work Very great returns were anticipated by the former supporters of the concern but many of the stockholders will doubtless be on hand to see how much cash can be pulled out any way

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Mr and Mrs Alex Dong have returned from their tour in the Southern part of the state and are now at their home on Blossom street They visited Los Angeles San Diego Coronado and other half points of interest in the Southern citrus belt

Professor E L Sanford of the State University has returned to the Albany hill and resumed his trip to the head waters of the Eel River

Cecil Hope returned from Red Bluff Saturday

Mr Dr Shuey is seriously ill with typhoid fever at his home on Fourteenth near Myrtle streets

Will Melvin the popular young clerk at the Mountain View Cemetery Association is dangerously ill with hemorrhage of the stomach

Chaplain A J McAllister who assisted at the funeral of the late J W Edmonds has returned to his home in Vallejo

Mr E D Miller has returned to his home in Kansas City after a pleasant visit with Mrs Harrell

Mr Alex Webster and Fred Webster of Nash Bros Central Street have gone to Los Angeles where they will be for a few days on their way to San Francisco

Mr C C Allen of Napa has been the guest of Mrs A Jameson of Brooklyn this week

Dr C Shoel has moved from Seventh and Myrtle streets to the Central Bank Building

Mr E Lyon of the firm of Mr Lyon and Mr Lyon has left for Chicago and New York to be gone five weeks

C Mc Allister and family left Saturday for New York City via New Orleans They will be away a month or six weeks

Mrs R Perry of Johannesburg South Africa and Mrs M Keagan of San Francisco are visiting their sister Mrs P V Bennett at the Ross house

Attorney H D Talbott formerly of San Francisco has moved to this city and has his shingle out

Miss Amesse of Napa returned this evening to resume her studies at the State University

In the Alameda issued by Dr Mayne Lynn and Mrs Zora Mylchreest Fresh and Charles Starkweather in marriage at St Luke's church yesterday Mr and Mrs Starkweather will be at home after February 1st on Wednesdays at 906 Twenty-eighth street

The Shattuck avenue M E church people are entertainment last Friday the money is going toward improvements in the church The following programme was rendered Organ solo Arthur Lloyd introductory remarks Mrs L H Shuey Petroleum V Nasby J H Cooper recitation Gilgs by Stanton Mrs Guy Francis Mark Twain and Danbury News Man Co P T Dickerson Alameda solo Gen Ave N Public Artemus Ward F C Spencer recitation from Eugene Field Miss Dodgeson Josh Billings J H Cooper solo Miss Lederwasser dialogue The Storm Center A and Miss D Manning

HE HELD OUT THE MONEY.

A Township Trustee Decamps Leaving a Big Shortage.

Names Signed to Receipts and All the Cash Held Out.

By Associated Press to The Tribune

CHICAGO Jan 12—A special from Indianapolis Indiana says

For several days past the commissioners of Perry County have been examining the accounts of Trustee Hubbs of Leopold and the affair has caused a sensation as Hubbs was a prominent politician of Southern Indiana and largely connected in his locality

When he presented vouchers for the commissioners showing the expenditure of more largely in excess of any of his predecessors suspicion was aroused and as it became known the people of his town up demanded an investigation The commissioners then overhauled his accounts and summoned the men more than a hundred in number whose names appeared to the receipts for the purpose of verifying them

No one of the number summoned had received money from Hubbs for any purpose and those who had sworn that the vouchers had been raised four or five times the amount for which the receipt was given

A shortage of nearly $10,000 was thus discovered and the sure promises to be much deeper as all Hubbs transactions are to be investigated

It is said that Hubbs has left town

THE THEATERS.

"The Inside Track" Is to Be Produced Tonight at the Oakland.

To-night "The Inside Track" will be produced at the Oakland Theater in a manner that will reflect credit on the management The drama is one of Clive Doud Byron's best productions The plot is based upon the rival loves of the nephew of an English curate and a member of the church who proves to be a scoundrel The incidents are strong and interest from beginning to end The full strength of the excellent company now playing at the Oakland headed by Andrew Waldron and Jennie Calef is cast for the play There will be a number of exceptionally clever scenic effects

MARIE WAINWRIGHT

The sale of seats for the Marie Wainwright engagement at the Macdonough theater will commence Thursday Her engagement will commence on Monday night in "The Love Chase" Tuesday "An Unequal Match," Wednesday, "Camille"

Golden Gate Notes.

Golden Gate January 13

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Golden Gate Methodist church will give a pink tea in the parlors of the church, Friday evening at 5 P M Those who desire an excellent cup of tea are cordially invited All collections will go toward the support of the society

Some of the young ladies of this town are endeavoring to start an athletic club for young ladies and girls If they succeed it will be called the Golden Gate Athletic Club They also speak of organizing a whist club.

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WHAT A WAR MEANS TO US.

America Should Try to Avoid all Quarrels With England.

WE ARE AS ONE PEOPLE.

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CHRISTIANITY'S GOOD COUNSEL

A Sensible Address That Will Undoubtedly Strike Home

A remarkably appropriate subject is treated this week in the Tribune's special sermon series the theme being The War Question—Our Responsibility as a Nation It is by the Rev Edward A Horton the distinguished president of the Benevolent Fraternity of Churches of Boston His remarks are as follows

Ye are the salt of the earth but if the salt have lost its savor —Matthew, v, 13

If these words of Jesus were applicable to a little band of disciples how much more fitting are they when applied to a government like ours, which has before it the ideal of a Christian republic This is a time when the full meaning of American citizenship should be made clear As from a central sun sending its bright rays everywhere so should this great responsibility not only enforce duty but shed inspiration

Without any boasting we can truly say that the principles of our free, representative government are the salt of the earth They are supposed to embody applied Christianity The watchwords of Freedom Justice and Brotherhood are stamped upon our charters However much we may stumble and fall short still the place which we ought to fill in the history of humanity is very clear Nothing nobler has been set to the efforts of man

But if the salt has lost its savor, then what? That is to say in a time like this the world looks eagerly to see whether we understand what we are set to do whether we rise to the grandeur of our opportunity whether we are guided by motives caught from the battlefields of the middle ages, or by precepts from the Sermon on the Mount In the salt of our laws and institutions lies its savor then progress is created In other words if we go backward at a crisis like this to passionate conditions which we thought outgrown, then there is a sad indictment of human hopes

The simple demand upon the American people at present is to remember We must not forget what we felt sure had been gained through the century or two of our growth Arbitration has been tested and found useful It has been claimed by us that we should never engage in war for anything but self defense The slaughter of our fellow men has been declared the worst calamity possible on this earth Organized religion has reared its altars throughout the land and spread its messages of peace and good will We must remember these things and many other cheering features and allow self restraint to have her perfect work There is a vast deal to be utterly thrown away if we engage in war, just at this time as we approach the 20th century

It is not in any spirit of cowardly submission that I say this No one appreciates more than myself heroism in any department of life We know well that martyr stakes dungeon damps and battlefield sacrifices have been necessary to establish the rights of man But the question arises at this time Are we not far enough along to believe that by exercising the spirit of Jesus we may find it possible to have honorable peace in nearly every emergency?"

LOOK ABROAD

The next duty is to act in a judicial spirit We must look at things in the large Our interests are not simply localized on one continent, but have spread out with intricate ties over the entire globe Here we have built up certain kind of civilization in which prosperity sings through the music of loom and throb of the anvil Industry has become an abiding friend here with us in the United States, never will it trust to be drawn away by martial frenzy Let us remember that we as a nation represent the advanced type of civilization Are we able to sustain it along the lines our ancestors marked out? Puritan and Pilgrim and Cavalier all believed in the possibility of a government which might exist without the taint of old battle-time ferocity If it is necessary to settle matters so frequently by warfare, then men at large would greatly prefer another kind of government wherein these military things are done better

We are not trained for the army and for battles, our education points toward peaceful pursuits It would be putting the pointer on the dial of progress back a great many centuries if we rushed headlong into a conflict with England It might seem at first as though a struggle of this kind would encourage new republics in other parts of the world so it would in a certain sense But decided action would be the feast and distrust even in these small little republics as the saw our inability to carry out the fundamental principles of common calths

There we turn to Christianity which we have claimed finds its first full illustration in these shores Here we say was planted the called grain seed of the truths which pledge to the harvest the brotherhood of man We have taken this thought and put it into our laws built it into our institutions wrought it into our songs and made it the cement on which our daily traffic securely walks If a practicable straightforward practical type of Christianity such as this cannot thrive of course we need to know it But here is an opportunity now for us to resolve that the salt of our noble purpose shall not lose its savor if we as a people declare that we can accomplish our ends in a peaceful yet firm way I fully believe it can be realized

It must ever be borne in mind that we are only at the threshold of agitation Those who are not thoughtful will imagine that the rumors of war which have stirred our country to its depths have ceased and all is now clear nothing could be farther from the facts There are delicate questions of detail yet to be handled which will require the greatest care and statesmanlike caution It seems to me that the solving of such matters depends more upon the spirit in which they are handled than on technical knowledge and smart ability If we as a people demand that in settling the Venezuelan question there shall be a steady purpose on the part of our representatives to deal calmly and broadly with the matter that will surely bring the right result If our Christianity is of such flimsy material that it cannot meet such a test as this satisfactorily then we ought to bow our heads in shame

THE TERRORS OF WAR

I have not referred to the awful possibilities involved in a war between England and ourselves I would like to feel that such a dire calamity is out of the question Here is our white winged commerce flying with happy messages of good will from shore to shore that would be swept from the seas The ties that bind us with the mother country would be wounded almost beyond healing The great heritage which we have from her of a common tongue, glorious memories and wonderful literature would be stained with the shame of carnage There are probably no two nations that once in battle with each other could work so much havoc in the affairs of mankind

Allow that Great Britain is sometimes overbearing still we cannot deny that she is more acceptable to us than any other nation Her institutions ancestral sources and general attitude are more in harmony with our republic than any other strong continental nation We ought to forgive much

Our responsibility before the world has never been so great as at the present time Everything depends upon the calmness and self possession with which we dignifiedly go through this trying ordeal Let us put aside all small bitterness and rise to a sense of what we are and what is expected of us I believe in the American people They are at heart true patriots When it comes to the cannon's mouth as a matter of necessity they are there and the flashing of swords does not affright them But peace is ever the motto of our industrious God fearing Christian communities

No one would be quicker than myself to stand firmly against unchristian aggression Let our sympathies go out fully to those who are trying to establish free governments May the salt of our fraternal feeling never lose its savor through any timidity or negligence But on the other hand let us act as though we had become mature and were not children Let us remember the spirit of Washington rather than that of Napoleon It is Washington who serves as a guiding light and it is Lincoln the patient considerate and long suffering soul who shines beside Washington as a guardian spirit of the nation Have we not come to a point in our history when it is far more heroic and grand to abstain from certain things than to rush into mad conflict?

BUSINESS IS ALARMED

The true man of business sends up his petition that the slowly gathered fruits of honorable labor may not be swept away in a moment of rage The ruler of many looms asks that the web of mercantile prosperity may still be woven amid the happy tokens of comfort The genuine politician sees now the auspicious hour when he can guide the ship of state through troublous waters and act like a statesman The high minded lawyer rises to the plane of arguments where humanity is his client The journalist dips his pen in the sympathetic ink of wise caution and noble restraint The minister of the gospel sues before him his Master who commands him to preach the "Golden Rule" and to exhort unto deeds of love

Again I ask my readers, of what ever position, If the salt of our Christian republic loses its savor at such a time as this how can we hope to keep our place and influence amid the great opportunities of the twentieth century? There it was hoped that we should act a conspicuous and noble part But we cannot do that if we enter it begrimed with the powder of battle and blinded by the smoke of passion

I say this as one who served in the civil war I say this as one believing in self respect for nations, as well as individuals I say this as one realizing that the only real peace must be honorable But this I say, after all has been declared—let us resolve together as a people that we will do everything in our power to maintain our fundamental principles as a peace loving nation. That we will put to shame, as far as we can, any grasping, crowding behavior from any nation by dignified, earnest protest. That we will demand arbitration and comply with its decisions Then indeed we shall be as salt for the whole world Then we can enter the twentieth century and take the leadership we ought among the nations with natural and unequal power

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HE'S NOT AFRAID.

Rev Edwards Davis Says His Parishioners Can Call on Him

Rev Edwards Davis preached in the Central Christian church yesterday and declared that despite the resolution of certain ministers to admit women to their studies only under certain conditions he would still be pleased to meet members of his flock in his studio as formerly When the ministry he said shall be muzzled because one dog has bitten God will close our mouths from the utterance of His holy word passions cannot be padlocked and the man that is untrue in the darkness of the night can only deceive and thereby damn in the light of day

ARMENIAN ATROCITIES.

Rev. C. H. Hobart Talks on the Issue of the Hour

"Armenian Atrocities" was the subject of the address by Rev C H Hobart at the First Baptist church last night He took as his text from John 15 20 If they have persecuted me they will also persecute you Mr Hobart told of the mutilation and torture of Christian men and women the outraging and abduction of girls and children, the starvation so prevalent, the spoliation of the homes of the rich and poor all owing to the cruel cunning of the Turkish Sultan whose policy it is to exterminate the Armenian race He asked what the people are going to do about it The first thing that is practical is to raise funds to send to the distressed people Miss Clara Barton the head of the Red Cross Society will go to the relief if $50,000 be raised It was also necessary he said to create public sentiment on the subject

NOT PETER, BUT CHRIST.

Professor Daniels Talks on the Foundation of the Church.

There was a meeting of the A P A in Masonic hall yesterday which was attended by a large number of people An address was delivered by Prof P E Daniels It was based on scriptural argument He used the scriptures to show that the passages in those writings on which it is sought to build the supremacy of the Catholic church have been misconstrued by that institution and that it was not Peter but Christ himself who was the rock on which the church had been founded

He read a number of extracts from Catholic publications and scouted the idea that the church could teach morality He spoke of his devotion to his country and closed by saying that America seemed to him to be like a magnificent diamond rough and discolored when discovered by Columbus In the hands of our forefathers the victories of Concord Lexington and Bunker Hill polished and finished the stone It is now the people's duty to place it in such a position and hold it so high that it will flash the light of republicanism and liberty throughout the world

TO FOSTER OUR COMMERCE

American Manufacturers Are to Hold a Mammoth Convention.

Steps to Be Taken Towards Building Up International Trade.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO Jan 13 - The convention of the National Association of Manufacturing of the United States to be held in this city January 21st to 23rd is growing so rapidly that C S Locke of New York City has been obliged to come to Chicago to lend a helping hand to Vice President John B Kirk

The secretary from Ohio reports that Cincinnati will send 30 delegates and the rest of the State will send as many more Indiana and Missouri will send 250 each It is estimated that 2000 manufacturers will be in attendance

The association is non political non-partisan and non sectional and has for its aim the general good of the manufacturers and the development of some plan, through legislative channels or otherwise, by which trade relations between the United States and foreign countries may be developed and extended

It also desires to perfect some plan by which agencies may be established in such countries as China, Japan and the South and Central American Republics to enter into competition with products of European manufacture which now have practical control of these markets

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

PREPARING FOR A SIEGE.

Havana's Harbor Protected and Much Comment Created Thereby.

It Is Said Spain Is Anxious to Sell the Island to England.

By Associated Press to The Tribune

CHICAGO Jan 13—A special from Washington says

Torpedos are being placed in the harbor of Havana and heavy siege guns are being placed in position

This was the private information received by the Cuban Junta given out by Senor Rucabado

As the insurgents do not ship after the influence is considerable that Spain expects interference by the United States and is preparing to defend the capital from attack by sea

Action by the United States looking to the recognition of belligerent right of the insurgents may be taken then is generally expected

It is stated on apparently good authority that President Cleveland's Venezuelan message was held back until after the Spanish war in two places at the same time

According to the estimate of the Cuban junta Spain is exhausted and of its resources and will be forced to suspend specie payments entirely within the next thirty days

With bankruptcy staring in the face, Spain it is said is anxious to sell the island of Cuba outright

Lord Salisbury it is intimated according to Cuban authority sounded the United States on the subject and the reply was President Cleveland's vigorous enunciation of the Monroe Doctrine

The Senate committee on foreign relations has been holding a serial conference of late

Senator Davis of Minnesota at the head of a subcommittee having the matter in charge is now drawing up a formal declaration of the Monroe Doctrine which expands the original declaration and makes it clear as a formal doctrine of the American Congress

Those who claim to know say that this declaration is intended to meet both the Cuban and Venezuelan cases

As the dry season ends in March it is now said that if Spain does not succeed in stopping the rebellion by that time the United States will certainly recognize the insurgents as belligerents

The Cuban colony is in a ferment over rumors that recognition by the United States is a fait accompli

BURNED TO DEATH.

Little Florina Guido Meets With a Very Sad Fate.

The coroner held an inquest this morning on the remains of little Florina Guido the 5-year-old daughter of Mr and Mrs Guido of 1063 East Nineteenth street The child was playing near a bonfire a few days ago and by accident fell into the flames She received severe burns, but at the time it was thought her life could be saved Dr. Foster called and treated the little one, but yesterday she succumbed to her injuries

The jury rendered a verdict in accordance with the facts.

Anheuser-Busch for the Weary
Clear cold pure malt beer—the Anheuser-Busch Faust brew A tonic for the sick and a system builder Sold only at the Anheuser-Busch saloon, 477 Ninth street.

A Bad System

A well-known citizen called at the Tribune office this morning and complained of the tardiness of the fire department He stated that at the corner of Linden and Sixteenth streets yesterday morning at 10 o'clock there was a great delay before the engines arrived and that there was apparently a deplorable lack of system

LADIES' RELIEF SOCIETY.

Children Admitted to the Home Since October 1, 1895

October 5th—Bertha Brooks, f, aged 10 years, Rebecca Thompson f, aged 11 years, Jacob Thompson, m, aged 7 years, Ruth Thompson, f, aged 3 years October 12th—Ernest Wange, m aged 10 years, Lizie Wange, f, aged 7 years Amy Wange f aged 2 years October 19th—Lloyd Fisher m, aged 11 years Andrew Fisher m aged 9 years. November 19th—Percie E Lester m, aged 5 years November 29th—Nannette Woods f aged 6 years December 3d—Genevieve Hopkins, f aged 3½ months. December 6th—Robert James Hamilton, m, aged 5 weeks December 10th—Robert Osborne Buskett m, aged 9 years. December 19th—Leopold Wange m, aged 4½ years December 24th—Gertrude Lily Livingston f aged 3 years. December 28th—Ernest Carlton Blow, m, aged 6 years December 30th—John Wesley May, m, aged 7 years George Clarence May m, aged 6 years

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Oakland, Cal Jan 1896

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STUDIES RESUMED.

Pupils From all Over the State Are Pouring Into Berkeley.

THE CLASS ARRANGEMENTS.

Registrations and Recitations Combined Under the New Rule.

SUFFRAGISTS ARE ON DECK.

Rev. Dr. Marshall Law Gets a Overhauling by Mrs. Partridge.

BERKELEY, Jan. 13.—College opened for the spring term this morning. Generally the first day is set apart wholly for registration of courses, but by a new rule of the faculty registrations and recitations take place at once upon the commencement of the spring session. Hence classes were called promptly at 8:25 o'clock this morning. In so far as the schedule has them set for that hour, and the work of the great University was formally begun.

Registration, as practiced now at Berkeley, is a unique process. The student receives a big brown printed card from the recorder or his assistant, upon which he places the names of the courses he wishes to pursue during the term. These courses he must first ascertain do not conflict with others he has signed for either in time of meeting or of final examination. Then the assistant puts the recorder's stamp upon the coupon attached to the card and which bears an abbreviated list of the subjects to be followed. With this coupon the student presents himself to the professors of the various courses he has selected, and is at once enrolled by them in their classes. Without the little brown stub the student cannot be admitted.

Train loads of students came in yesterday and this morning from the various parts of the State. The San Diego steamer brought up a large party from Los Angeles and all the southern parts. It will be several days, however, before all the stragglers are on hand, though the habit of coming back late is not so prevalent as formerly, owing to the stringent rules of the faculty regarding such delinquency.

THE SUFFRAGE SOCIETY.

The Citizens' Suffrage Society met this afternoon at Stiles Hall. There were a large number of women present with a sprinkling of men. The speaker of the occasion was W. H. O'Brien, manager of the Altruria colony in Sonoma county, who is at present stopping with his wife amongst Berkeley friends. While there he is making arrangements for type and presses to be used by the Altrurians in an educational campaign soon to be started for the enlightenment of the masses upon the principles of Altrurianism.

The subject of Mr. O'Brien's lecture was "Strong Points in Woman's Suffrage and the Liability of Failure Through Woman's Non-Acquaintance With Political Methods." The substance elicited much comment after the address had been delivered.

Mrs. William Keith read the paper she recently prepared for the Institute of Applied Christianity. A general discussion then followed upon the great central theme of the day for women, namely, "How to carry the State for suffrage in next fall's campaign." There was also discussion upon the paper that Professor Plehn of the University read before them at a previous meeting. It is expected of the Students' Congress that they will reopen the suffrage question decided a short time before the last term closed against the movement, and by a more accurate and fairer definition of the question offer another opportunity for further debate, as this next term is essentially the debating season, there being two contests with Stanford between now and next May, without doubt the champions of women will again have a chance to vent their logical eloquence.

GOES FOR DR. LAW.

Mrs. Clara Partridge has written a letter for the Berkeley Advocate in which she criticises the action of the Rev. Marshall Law of Oakland, who has announced that he will see no more women on any sort of business except in the presence of his wife. Mrs. Partridge thinks this is a reflection upon the average woman. She says: "It is certainly true, as Dr. Law states, that there is a sort of unhealthy sentimentality between some of the ladies of some churches and some pastors, but because one or two, or even half a dozen, instances of injudicious friendliness may be named, does it follow that all women are to be shunned and treated as villainous schemers, and all men, especially ministers of the gospel, to be feared because they are too weak to meet women without losing their moral dignity or probity of character?"

TO SUCCEED COLEMAN.

Newton A. Hayne has been appointed a director of the Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institute by Governor Budd to succeed the late John W. Coleman. As Mr. Hayne is the popular town attorney of Berkeley the appointment gives townsmen general satisfaction.

A RECEPTION.

Messrs. Winfield and C. T. Brehm were given a farewell reception at Miss Cora Fisk's kindergarten by their numerous friends last Friday evening. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Metcalf, Mr. and Mrs. Durgin, Mr. and Mrs. McMullen, Mr. and Mrs. Captain Gage, Miss Cora Fisk, Miss Georgie Krause, Miss Jennie Kerrison, Miss Fuller, Miss Belle Meyers, Misses Eunice and Belle Van Housen, the Misses Gage, Miss Fanny Cook, Miss Perry, Miss McDermott, Charles Klein, Frank McClain, Fred B. Wilkins, Charles Gompertz, Walter Gompertz, J. F. Thompson and Mr. McDermott.

A QUAKERS' MEETING.

Mrs. Naylor preached at the Friend's church, on Ashby avenue in South Berkeley yesterday. The Friends, or Quakers, have been so successful in their place of worship to accommodate their place of worship to accommodate their increasing numbers. The society is holding a series of Quaker revivals at present, the first of the kind ever held in California. These are under the superintendence of J. H. Douglas, who has charge of all such early meetings in California. The society now has a membership of 2200. A dozen years ago it was organized in the State by a gathering numbering only twelve.

GENERAL GOSSIP.

The University grounds lighting fund, which the people of Berkeley are expected to raise and which amounts to $ 000, is very slowly getting up toward the limit. One hundred and seventy-five dollars has thus far been raised over and above E. M. Widson's $600. This leave $325 yet to be subscribed.

William Ellis, retiring chaplain of Durant lodge, 268, of the F. and A. M., received a handsome rocking chair from the lodge in recognition of his age and past services at the last meeting of the lodge.

The new dog ordinance raises the yearly license from $1 to $2. The pound-man is instructed to catch stray geese and give them up to owners only after they have paid 25 cents per goose and 10 cents per day they are impounded.

John Perkins is slowly recovering from the pistol shot of Albert Meuzenmeyer, though he still has no feeling in his left arm and hand. It is rumored Mrs. Meuzenmeyer has offered to compromise the case for $1000.

The Berkeley High school Forum has decided that England is wrong in her present attitude toward the United States in the Venezuelan matter. Messrs. Parker and Good appeared in behalf of John Bull. Messrs. Warren and Simonds defended the United States.

Fred Fonzo has been found guilty of selling liquor against the law. Instructor Colby of the viticulture department of the University said the stuff raided was liquor and a verdict of guilty was promptly rendered.

The Order of Ralstonites is soon to be established in Berkeley. At a meeting called for the first Tuesday of next month the organization will be perfected.

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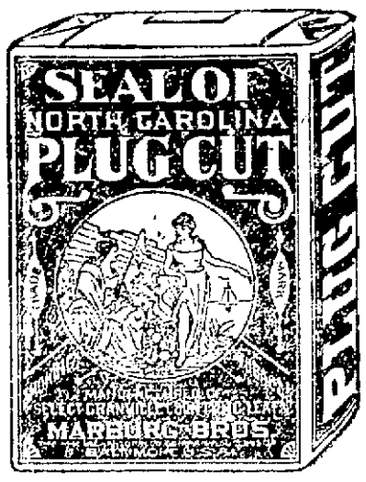

THE BEST PIPE TOBACCO.

TO RAISE THE STANDARD.

The Board of Health Proposes to Wake Up the Milkmen.

Beneficial Results From the Recent Raids Are Already Noticed.

Nearly all the members of the Board of Health are in favor of raising the test rate in the present milk ordinance. The San Francisco rate is to be raised in a few days to 3 4-5 per cent and it is the opinion here that Oakland should have better milk than the city across the bay. The pasturage is better and the expense of marketing the milk is less. Three and two-fifths per cent is the rate proposed here.

"Even 3 per cent," says Dr. Mayon, "is dong good, and I think goes far towards raising the standard. If you have noticed since the first raid there has been a general advance in the quality of the milk. The inspectors caught a dairyman one morning whose milk went down to 2 3-5 per cent. Of course it was thrown out and the fact published. A day or so afterwards another test was made from the same wagon and none of the milk went under 3 3-5. That is only one case. But it seems to me to show the tendency the ordinance has."

Dr. Pierce says the milkmen are wily, and are buying their own milk testers. One of them asked Pierce to purchase one for him yesterday. Whether this interest on the part of the dairymen augurs good or bad is a question. The health department are inclined to believe that the milkmen will use the machines to be sure not to water their milk too much and thereby render themselves liable to arrest.

There have been but two complaints from the milkmen and both of these were selling milk below the standard. Their complaint was not so much at having their milk tested as it was that the result of the test should be published.

The World's Fair Tests showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.

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WINTER CLEARANCE SALE

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REDUCTIONS IN HOSIERY.

20c—LADIES' BLACK COTTON HOSE, - formerly 25c
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Ladies' Ribbed Natural Wool Vests and Drawers (good value) - - 75c each
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BRANCH HOUSE—LOS ANGELES.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 10, 1896.

T. J. and H. C. Carroll et al. by comm. to Commonwealth M. B. & L. Assn. N Park or 35th st 702-6 E San Pablo av E 75 x N 112, lots 1, 2, 3, Mitchell tract, map 2, $2562.

W. B. Mandeville to Victorine de Lahousse, W Oakland av 35 N Moss av N 30 x W 126.25, lot H, blk H, Flint tract, $100.

J. F. Volger to Margaret A. Volger N Park av where same intersects W Horton st distant 2282 W from W San Pablo, av N 175 W 133 S 50-46 79-6 S 125 E 53-6 to beg, being a sub plot 6 Ro V and D Peralta; N Auburn av or 47th st 372 E San Pablo av E 120-6 N 203 W 129-6 S 206, ptn lot 3, Cogeshall tract N Park av 53-6 W Horton W 53 x N 125 lot 2, blk 25, Emery tract, $1.

Mary J. Veitch to James E. Crane lots 2 to 5, blk E, Broadway Terrace Q. C. D., $5.

William and Elizabeth Kirchel to Antonio Avila, W Shattuck av 126-24 N Merced av N 35 W to D boundry line lot 14, blk B, Brumagin tract, the S to a p which would be intersected by a line drawn W from pt of com and paralle with Merced av th E to beg, ptn lot 14 blk B, Brumagin tract, $10.

Hugh H. and Mary E. Dobbins to J. George Gardner, N Rose 150 W Spruce W 50 x N 127, blk 14, Berryman tract Q. C. D., $10.

H. M. and Mary S. Allen to H. Hanser, subs 1 and 2 of lot 6, blk 24, Daley's Scenic Park tract, $10.

Theodore and Ida Wagner to The Realty Syndicate, 10 acres beg at a pt in line div plots 64 and 65, Ro V, and D Peralta at SW cor of NW ¼ plot 66 th NW 10.02 chs x SW 10 chs, ptn plot 64 Ro V and D Peralta, known as the Vista del Mar tract; E Sacramento 342.19 N Bancroft way N 506.24 x E 125.25 lots 18, 19, 22, 23, 26, 27, 30 and 31 blk 2, Spaulding tract, $10.

Jean B. Ginot to Virginia A. Ginot the E ½ of NW ¼ and NW ¼ of NW ¼ Sec 30, Tp 4 S, R 4 E, gift.

Fred G. and Ella Weston to C. P. Kern, S Jones st 290 W Telegraph av W 60 x S 160, ptn lots 12 and 14, corrected map, Jones tract, subj to mtge for $3000, $10.

A. E. Severns to Eldri Johnson, lot 5, blk D, J. E. McElrath tract, $5.

Pacific States S. L. & B. Co. to Frank A. Silva, lot 17, blk B, J. W. Crawford tract, $1600.

John J. and Sarah E. Lyon, by sheriff, to H. T. Armstrong, S Sutter 140 E Lowell E 40 S 160.05 W 40 N 159.47, lots 5 and 14, blk E, J. E. McElrath tract, $1000.

Laurent Huerstel to Thomas S. Mathewson, lots 1 and 2, blk 40, town SE 637.43 NE 1800.50 NW 2528.52 to beg, of Encinal, $10.

Thos. S. Mathewson, admr est Thos. D. Mathewson, to J. J. O'Farrel, same, $100.

Thos. S. Mathewson to same, same, $10.

J. G. and Thomas D. McCraith et al to same, lot 3, blk 40, lands adjct to Encinal, Q. C. D., $10.

H. C. Campbell and T. B. Kent, trs for James D. Smith, Nellie and James Sutherland, to S. F. Savings Union, W Oakland av at NE cor lot 52, th NW 1859.75 SE 755 SW 380.30 to E line count, road Pleasanton to Dublin th SE 1123.3 being lot 52 less 2.60 acres off the S side thereof, map of Oakland Land and Imp Co., sub Santa Rita Ro, Pleasanton, $6230.

S. F. Savings Union to H. P. Chadbourne, same, $10.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 11, 1896.

Margaret Carroll, by commnr, to Jos. Lancaster, N 39th 160 E Grove E 40 x N 100, ptn lot 15, Montgomery tract, map 1, $954.

Jos. and Elizabeth Lancaster to W. J. Oakes, same, $1000.

Jeremiah and Harriet O. Tyrrel to W. E. Proctor, N 39th st 325-6 W Telegraph av W 42-6 x N 100, ptn lkb 2080, map of est John Evoy in plot 36, $10.

W. A. Knowles et al, by commnr, to Lester W. Forsting, und ½ of 3½ acres beg at NW cor lands of Mrs. Rich et al NW 2.98 chs NE 11.38 chs SE 2.98 chs SW 11.95 chs to beg, ptn V Peralta reservation, $3519.

Mountain View Cemetery Association to Rosina Williams, lot 229 in plot 1, said cemetery, $177.

E. H. and Calista H. Congdon to Ann H. E. Hale, W Grant 125 N Virginia st 25 x W 125, ptn lots 3, 4, 17, blk 1, Edith tract, $10.

J. A. Patton to J. K. Stewart, W Delaware and California N 135 x W 100, pt lot 1, blk 4, Teachers' State University Hd Assn, Q. C. D., $1.

Daniel J. and Margaret Coughlin to Hellen C. Shellard, S Delaware 110 E Hamlin E 40 x S 135, being the E 40 ft of lot W sub of range 8, Hardy tract, $10.

Mary J. Moss et al. to Miss A. T. Keefer, lot 3, blk R, amended map Moss tract, $10.

Same to Mary S. Pullman, lots 2, 3 and 4, blk F, Moss tract, $10.

W. E. and Erminia Dargie to P. Lavorel and A. Pagge, lots 245 and 246, Rose tract, $5.

Mary Russell to George D. and Mary A. Russell, EW Briggs av 250 SE High st SE 50 x SW 203, lot 40, Briggs tract, gift.

John C. and Annie M. Spencer to D'Arcy M. and Kate E. Cashin, beg at a pt 290 NW from NW 24th av and 100 NE E 19th st SW 50 NW 150 to E 23d av th N to its intersection with line drawn parallel with and distant 150 N from NE E 19th st th SE 165 to beg, blk I, sub 50 associates tract, $10.

Walter J. Stewart et al., by commnr, to National Home and Loan Assn, S E 28th st 275 E 21st av S 140 E 166-6 N to S E 28th st W 107 to beg, lots 12, 13, 14 and 15, blk 91, Northern adds to Bklyn, $4231.

Charles A. and Lutie A. Tyrrel to Jeremiah Tyrrel, re-record of 459-d 294, 29th 225-6 W Telegraph av W 42-6 x N 100, blk 2080, map of est John Evoy in plot 36, $10.

William J. and Virginia R. Dingee to George W. and H. P. Brusseau, re-record of 576-d 332, 1 acre beg at SW cor lot 21, sub Piedmont Heights th SE 1.53 chs NE 6.59 chs to center Edith st th NW .99 ch NW .62 ch SW 6.67 chs to beg, ptn lot 21 sub ptn Piedmont Heights, $5.

G. W. and Henrietta P. Brusseau to William J. Dingee, lot 21, sub ptn Piedmont Heights, except 1 acre described in previous deed, Q. C. D., $5.

Cyrus E. and Elida A. Ellis to the Realty Syndicate, .09 of an acre beg at N cor lot 24 sub ptn Piedmont Heights th SW .79 ch SW 2.48 chs NE 3.22 chs NW .24 ch to beg, of public road, $5.

L. C. and Miriam Morehouse to F. A. Koetitz, lot 64, Elmhurst tract, map 2, $5.

Samuel I. and Annie P. McGill to Emery E. George, E Minturn 211 S Railroad av S 32-6 x E 88, lot 13, sub of lot 32, Fassking Park, subj to a mtge, $10.

John F. and Ellen E. Hankins, to Jno. Petsche, S Railroad av 210.07 E 3d st E 30 x S 125, lot 8, blk B, resub Haight tract, $10.

Myra Decker to Mrs. F. H. Ross, S Washington 100 E High st S 100 th E 35 S 20 W 35 N 20 to beg, ptn lot 8, blk 36, Q. C. D., $1.

William J. and Virginia R. Dingee to the Realty Syndicate, 74.20 acres com at most N corner plot 29, sub Rancho V and D Peralta thence SW 13.80 chs to center McAdam st th SE 3.50 chs SE 6.97 chs th leaving McAdam st and following center Marion st SE 80 links SW 1 ch SW 7 chs SE 3 chs SE 2.84 chs to center Bellevue av th SE 1 ch SE 12.18 chs SE 2.50 chs SE 4.05 chs SE 4.32 chs SE 2.20 chs SW 3.90 chs SW 2.30 chs SE 1.99 chs E 8.29 chs SE 2.10 chs SW 70 lks SE 9.40 chs NE 2.20 chs NE 2.50 chs NE 2 chs SE 2.80 chs SE 1.65 chs NE 2 chs SE 1 ch SE 1.50 chs SE 1.70 chs SE 68 lks NE 1.06 chs NW 4.40 chs NW 5 chs NW 5 chs NE 33 lks NW 11.50 chs NW 22.18 chs to center extension of McAdam st th NE 68 lks SE 1 ch NW 10.40 chs to beg, ptn plot 29, Ro V and D Peralta; 9.70 acres com at most E cor lot 15 in center Bellevue av th SE 1 ch SE 2.75 chs NE 6.80 chs SE 4.40 chs to center county road No. 1169 th SW 2.18 chs SW 28 lks SW 41 lks SW 45 lks SW 1.13 chs SW 29 lks 3.14 chs SW 1.10 chs SW 2.89 chs in leaving road NW 72.61 chs to SE line lot 25 th NE 5.20 chs to beg, ptn plot 29 Ro V and D Peralta; 2.36 acres com at most S cor lot 21, map of Piedmont Heights th NW 3.45 chs NE 6.59 chs to center Edith st th SE 2.53 chs SE 82 lks th leaving said st SW 15.56 chs to beg, ptn Piedmont Heights; 76.14 acres, being lots 1, 2, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 20 and 22, map Piedmont Heights; 2.24 acres com at most W cor of lot 4, Piedmont Heights, th NE 5.16 chs to center Bellevue av th SE 58 lks SE 1 ch SE 88 lks NE 1.51 chs SE 24 lks th leaving said av SW 5.76 chs to center Edith st th SW 3.68 chs NW 3.51 chs to beg, ptn Piedmont Heights; 1.87 acres com at most W cor lot 8, Piedmont Heights th NE 4.12 chs SE 3.02 chs to center of Bellevue av th SW 5 lks SW 2.30 chs SE 99 lks th leaving said av SW 1.96 chs to beg ptn Piedmont Heights, $5.

TOWN TOPICS.

There will be a meeting in the First Presbyterian church tonight to discuss the Armenian atrocities. Addresses will be delivered by a number of clergymen.

When the Baby Is Cutting Teeth

Be sure and use the old and well tried remedy, Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays the pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

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The best and coolest glass of beer in Oakland; pool and billiard tables. The Montana, corner Ninth and Broadway.

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For money, furniture of all kinds at H. Schellhaas', 408 Eleventh street.

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See our 5c, 10c, 15c, articles. All goods sold very low at H. Schellhaas'.

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If you had taken two of Carter's Little Liver Pills before retiring you would not have had that coated tongue or bad taste in the mouth this morning. Keep a vial with you for occasional use.

T. C. Landrigan handles a line of specially selected pure wines and liquors, particularly sought for by physicians who recommend the best for medicinal purposes. This establishment is located at 912 Broadway, where orders for family service will receive prompt and accurate attention.

The "Automatic" sewing machine rooms removed to Y. M. C. A. building, 522 Twelfth street.

When tired and thirsty, for rest, a nice bit of lunch and a cool drink, go to Earl & Martin's wine rooms, 467 Tenth street, between Broadway and Washington.

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PROBATE NOTICE

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Harriet A. Sears, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Harriet A. Sears, deceased, and for the issuance to Lizzie Sears Gerberding and Egbert B. Stone of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court and that Monday, the 20th day of January, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, Oakland, January 3, 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
Reed & Nusbaumer, attorneys for petitioners.

RAILROADS.

Southern Pacific Company

Trains Are Due to Arrive and Leave

—AT—

SIXTEENTH STREET STATION.

Leave | From November 20, 1895. | Arrive

7:00 a Atlantic express, Ogden and East..... 8:04 p
7:30 a Benicia, Vacaville, Rumsey, Sacramento and Redding via Davis..... 8:39 p
8:00 a Martinez, San Ramon, Napa, Calistoga and Santa Rosa.. 5:45 p
9:30 a Los Angeles express, Raymond (for Yosemite), Santa Barbara, and Los Angeles.. 4:39 p
9:30 a Martinez and Stockton..... 10:04 a
2:00 p Port Costa and way stations *11:24 p
4:00 p New Orleans express, Fresno, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, Deming, El Paso, New Orleans and East..... 10:04 a
4:00 p Santa Fe route, Atlantic express for Mojave and East 10:04 a
4:30 p Martinez, San Ramon, Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga, El Verano and Santa Rosa..... 8:49 a
4:30 p Benicia, Vacaville, Woodland, Knights Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento..... 10:14 a
6:30 p European mail, Ogden and East..... 9:13 a
7:30 p **Vallejo..... * 7:14 p
7:30 p Oregon express, Sacramento, Marysville, Redding, Portland, Puget Sound and East..... 10:14 a
10:30 p Sunset Limited, Fresno, Los Angeles, El Paso, New Orleans and East.....12:30 p

NILES ROUTE.
First Street Near Broadway.

Leave | From November 22, 1895. | Arrive

7:00 a Niles, San Jose, Stockton, Ione, Sacramento, Marysville, Red Bluff and ***Orville..... 3:37 p
9:00 a **Peters and Milton..... ***6:41 p
1:30 p Niles, San Jose and Livermore..... 8:07 a
3:12 p Niles, San Jose, Livermore and Stockton..... 6:41 p
5:43 p Haywards, Niles and San Jose..... 7:07 a

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AS OTHERS SEE US.

Political machinery is being put in working order for the campaign, and the first move will be made by the Republicans next Tuesday, when the executive committee will meet for the purpose of fixing a date for a meeting of the full committee. Oakland is mentioned as a candidate for the place of holding the next State convention, and an early and intelligent effort should be made by the Republicans of this county to bring the convention here. There is not a city in the State more accessible than Oakland, and this fact should have some weight with the committee in selecting a place. Of its ability to handle a State convention in a proper manner there can be no question, and delegates and others will find that they are well treated. As a strong Republican city in a strong Republican county, it is entitled to consideration at the hands of the party. So far Sacramento, San Francisco and Santa Cruz are the only places mentioned as being in the field for the convention, and Oakland can easily lead these in the point of desirability.—Haywards Review.

Senator Perkins wishes to encourage settlers in Alaska, and to this end wants the law as to proof of taking up government land changed. "The present law compels claimants and their witnesses to visit Sitka in order to make final proof. This has been a very great hardship, for claimants and witnesses are at Portland, San Francisco and other parts in California, and even in the East. A journey to the neighborhood of the north pole is, therefore, a hardship and has materially interfered with securing patents to Alaska lands. Mr. Perkins' bill provides that testimony may be taken wherever and when witnesses may be conveniently found, but it is provided that land offices anywhere may take and receive testimony. The measure, moreover, confirms all entries already made on depositions taken outside of Alaska.—Vallejo Chronicle.

Oakland has entered the meanest-man-on-earth contest, and is to the front with one who beats his bride of six months while he prays, and for a change feeds her on bread crusts while he makes a meal of oysters.—Haywards Review.

The Oakland Tribune keeps up with the best of journalism, and its New Year's edition was an excellent one, rebounding to the credit of its zealous proprietors.—Solano Republican.

The street orator is becoming a familiar figure in Alameda. His grazing ground, time out of mind, has been Oakland, and he has not heretofore strayed to this field in quantity. Is this the beginning of a scheme to make Alameda just like Oakland, so that annexation will come easy? We must have a care to this.—Alameda Argus.

STATE NUGGETS.

A man was tried before an Oakland jury on a charge of murder. The jury found him guilty of manslaughter. Therefore the judge set the verdict aside and ordered a new trial. Here arises the old question concerning the function of a jury. Is its power necessarily anything more than fictitious? The jurors are sworn to try the case and a true verdict give, so help them God. What is the use of hearing the evidence if their verdict must stand or fall at the pleasure or will of a man other than themselves? If the judge has the power of setting aside verdicts, is not the jury somewhat of a farce, or, at best, a fiction somewhat pleasing to our notions of liberty? Why not have judges act as both court and jury in deed as well as in effect. If juries are mere imposing shadows of authority, we pay too much for the shadow.—Fresno Republican.

The Oakland Exposition has been incorporated and henceforth will be a yearly event in the life of our sister city. That shows a good spirit, and one which will bring Oakland and Alameda county more prominently before the world.—Alameda Argus.

On account of Rev. Dr. Brown's sad plight several Oakland clergymen have resolved to keep their studies closed against sisters unless they are accompanied by male escorts. The Oakland women are so insidious.—Fresno Republican.

The Supervisors of Contra Costa county have appointed a committee to take steps to remove the county hospital from Martinez. The board has assigned no reason for removing the hospital, but one of the members stated that it would be cheaper to maintain the hospital at a distance at least ten miles from town.

An action has been brought in the Superior Court of Contra Costa county for a permanent injunction to restrain certain parties from hunting on swamp or overflowed land. The case differs from the one brought by the Cordelia Shooting club against the Mallard club, and which was decided by Judge Buckles. In Contra Costa county the plaintiff is the owner of the land, whereas, in the Solano county action, the lease was not an exclusive one and granted a license only for forty members of the Cordelia club to hunt.

Martinez has begun to discuss the question of celebrating the Fourth of July.

The people of northern Solano county have determined to petition the Legislature of 1897 to annex to Yolo county a large area of the land of the former county. Much preliminary work is even now being done, and the interested persons are confident that they can convince the State Congress that they are entitled to the relief prayed for. R. B. Armstrong, the well known Davisville rancher, states that one Solano county man has informed him that he has $2000 to expend in the effort, and another gentleman has promised to contribute $1000 to the fund.

HIS GRIP IS TOO TIGHT.

The Stakeholder in a Prize Baseball Game Is in Demand.

Victorious Owls Unable to Secure the Booty of the Contest.

There is distress among the "Owl" baseball nine of West Oakland. They won a hot game yesterday from the "Syndicates" at the new grounds, corner of Eighteenth and Peralta streets, by the notable score of 16 to 6. The feature of the game was the "welching" of Governor Dowd, the stakeholder and umpire. Dowd had $16.50 in his hands, but when the Owls went around for a settlement the Governor had disappeared and there was an immediate and unanimous hoot from the victorious bird of the night.

Dowd was located finally with a crowd of the rival club's members enjoying the delights of divers "steams" at a nearby resort. The Owls were too late to participate. They have submitted their protest to Judge Casey, a well-known West Oaklander, who combines the study of Blackstone and Kent with the piloting of an express wagon. Casey proposes to apply for a writ of mandate to compel the Governor to relinquish the stakes, but Dowd says he will settle with the victorious Owls when he renders his decision on the game as umpire.

THE ALDRICH TRUST.

Attorneys Not Yet Ready to Proceed With the Contest.

The contest commenced some weeks ago in the Superior court by William Holt Aldrich to annul the trust created by his father, William A. Aldrich, did not start today in the Probate court. The account of the trustees of the trust was on the calendar in Judge Greene's court, but a continuance was granted for one week by consent of the counsel.

Aldrich has attacked the account on the ground that the trust is invalid under the terms of the recent decision of the Supreme court in the Walkerley estate matter. Aldrich also claims that fraudulent representations were made to his father to induce him to tie up the share of the estate which would have gone to him.

LITERARY NOTES.

Donahoe's Magazine starts out the year charmingly and the high standard of the previous issues is undoubtedly to be maintained. The illustrations are good and there is a diversity of literature that cannot fail to reach all. A charming article on Saint Anne D'Auray is made the more readable by a variety of appropriate pictures.

Music for January presents as a frontispiece a fine portrait of Miss Ellen Beach Yaw. A wide range of subjects by expert writers keeps the reader acquainted with the very latest occurrences in the musical world.

The next volume of Macmillan's series of "Illustrated Standard Novels" will be Disraeli's "Sybil."

The New Year's greeting of Jenness Miller Monthly brought by the January number of this popular magazine is a particularly happy and auspicious one. Under new editorial management a number of innovations have been made in the plan and scope of the magazine, which is now devoted to the all encompassing field of Women, Home and Society. From cover to cover there is not a dull word in the magazine, even the advertisements showing the artist's hand in the charming illustrations scattered through their alluring declarations. The illustrations of the magazine proper, from the cover, representing a most picturesque Dutch skating scene, to the original photographs which usher in the photographic competition for prizes in gold—destined to be one of the most interesting features of the year—are especially attractive because of the personality involved in them.

Mr. Joseph Jacobs, the well known antiquarian scholar, has in press under the title "Jewish Ideals and Other Essays," a work of great interest. In it he discourses on such varied topics as the Jewish diffusion of folk-tales, the London Jewry, Mordecai of "Daniel Deronda," as a typical Jew, Browning's theology from the Jewish point of view, the solution of the "Jewish Question," the legends concerned with little St. Hugh of Lincoln, the poet Jehuda Halevi, and many other subjects of equal interest.

The January number of "The Progress of the World" Magazine is, as usual, filled with crisp, up-to-date and instructive articles. In its department of "Scientific and Mechanical Progress" a very interesting description is given of the electric plow, that has come into use in Germany. The article on "Mechanisms of Compressed Air" shows the varied uses of that wonderful power at the present day, and a paper by Dr. S. Millington Miller describes some hypnotic experiments just made, that prove the existence of a marvelous magnetic influence between two widely separated persons. Progress of the World, 156 Fifth avenue, New York.

Kate Douglas Wiggins has written an excellent article for the January issue of Table Talk, on "Shall Our Daughter Study Kindergarten," and it is followed by the usual departments so helpful to housekeepers and home makers alike. Besides the many good recipes to be found in its pages, an article on "Market News" will be most useful to all who are not sure of the best place of meat to buy for certain dishes. "Twelfth Day," and its entertainments; "Nursery Hygiene," "Wedding Fads and Fancies," "Lace and its History," "Father Time's Reception,"—one suitable to New Year's Day, the latest fashions of the day, etc., are dealt with. Table Talk Publishing Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

The Ellis Estate.

Charles J. Ellis of Sacramento applied today for letters of administration upon the estate of his father, Charles Ellis, who died in Oakland last Thursday. The estate consists of a lot in East Oakland and some personal property all valued at $3,000.

An Estate Distributed.

A decree of final distribution was made today by Judge Greene in the estate of Susan E. Caffyn, who died on February 5th, 1892. The estate consists of real property and several thousand dollars' worth of personal effects.

Clerk Vose Is Ill.

R. C. Vose, clerk of department 3 of the Superior court is confined to his home at San Lorenzo by a severe attack of tonsilitis. He has been forbidden by his physician to leave the house for several days.

FORGING AHEAD.

Charles Appeldorn, the Wine Merchant, Achieving Success.

Readers of the Tribune who have read the cut rate wine announcements of Charles Appeldorn, the Washington street wine merchant, must have been impressed with the unusually reasonable prices therein quoted.

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TO THE HONORABLE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA:

W. H. Knight, Public Administrator of county respectfully makes this return of all estates of decedents which has come into his hands for the term commencing July 1, 1895, and ending January 1st, 1896, in accordance with the provisions of Section 1736, Code of Civil Procedure of California.

Number of Estate	Date of Issuance	NAME OF DECEDENT.	Approximate Value of Estate as Far as Ascertained	Money Which Has Come Into the Hands of the Public Administrator	Fees, Expenses, Funeral Expenses, Debts, Family Allowances, Paid by the Public Administrator	Balance of Money on Hand	Administrator's Fees Paid	Remarks.
	1895.							
4827	May 13.	T. J. Walsh						In litigation.
4367	July 8.	Elizabeth L. Cook						In litigation.
4371	July 17.	Franciska Haag	$ 150 00	$ 3 70	$ 3 70			
4382	July 23.	Jane Williams	1,349 08	149 08	129 00	$ 20 08	$50 00	
2619	July 31.	William P. Clark	2,250 00					
4397	Aug. 6.	Catherine Mann	7,061 00					All real estate.
4405	Aug. 12.	Andrew Gram	1,161 30	1,161 30	478 07	683 23	78 00	
4414	Aug. 20.	John Keller	1,210 90	1,210 90	180 54	1,030 36		
4413	Aug. 29.	William H. Scott						
4153	Sep. 3.	George M. Francis	28,049 56	1,545 17	563 72	981 45		
4422	Sep. 3.	John Curry, special						
4423	Sep. 16.	Frank W. Canniff						Undetermined interest in residue of estate.
4300	Sep. 16.	Louisa K. Gwyan	500 00					In litigation.
4443	Sep. 30.	Gastav Johnson	226 80	26 80	20 00	6 80		
4447	Oct. 8.	William F. Cashman						Contest pending.
4476	Oct. 8.	Frank N. Fischer, special						
4476	Oct. 21.	Frank N. Fischer	10,000 00	5,841 38	2,977 75	2,863 63		
4458	Nov. 4.	John F. Herrick						Letters issued for litigation.
4477	Nov. 11.	N. J. Connelly						In litigation.
4480	Nov. 11.	George W. Taft						Contest pending.
4498	Nov. 12.	F. G. Gallagher						In litigation.
4499	Nov. 12.	E. G. Gallagher						In litigation.
2908	Nov. 12.	John Brady						In litigation.
4507	Nov. 18.	Dina Y. Saks	2,655 25	2,655 25		2,655 25		
4493	Dec. 2.	Augusta Hartvig	406 00					
4520	Dec. 9.	W. B. Lewis	214 50	64 50		64 50		
4550	Dec. 16.	Andrew Patterson						Undivested interests in real estate.
4560	Dec. 16.	James McKeown						Not yet received.
4542	Dec. 16.	A. J. Alver						Character of estate undetermined.
4567	Dec. 30.	Sarah J. Duffy						In litigation.
		Total	$55,828 85	$12,658 08	$ 4,352 78	$ 8,305 30		

State of California, County of Alameda, } ss.

W. H. Knight being first duly sworn according to law deposes and says that he is the Public Administrator of said Alameda County, that the foregoing is a full, true and correct return of all estates of decedents which have come into his hands for the estates hereinbefore named; that he is not and was not at any time interested in the expenditures of any kind made on account of any estate he administered nor is he associated in business of otherwise with any one who is so interested.

W. H. KNIGHT.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3d day of January, A. D. 1896.

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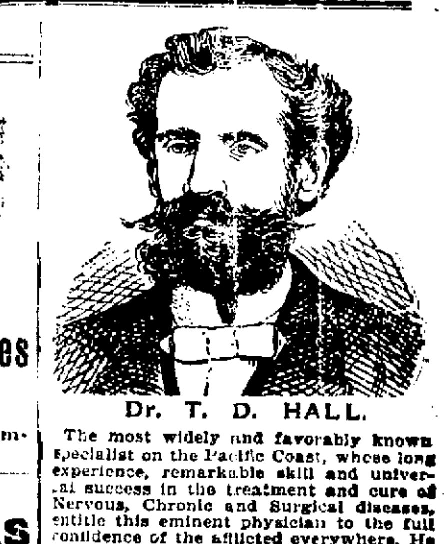

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WASHINGTON ECHOES

A Glance at Congress and a Few Pointers About the Session

CALIFORNIA IS DOING WELL

Her Representatives Placed on Some of the Best Committees

A CALL ON THE PRESIDENT.

How Speaker Reed Neatly Met the Administration's Star Play.

Special Correspondence of The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—The customary lull has [illegible] and the congressmen, things about [illegible] to-day would seem to justify taking that old chestnut down in the shell.

All quiet on the Potomac—trimmings wanting and introduction [illegible] expressive of the situation.

Congress has practically taken a recess until next Monday, and is an [illegible] by Mr. Dorsey, the [illegible] and [illegible] of the House [illegible] kind were known for the hour until then.

It is true that there has been to-day a high wind and [illegible] the minute [illegible] walls, the great lumbering [illegible] Pennsylvania depot at the height of the number and [illegible] according to the social [illegible] to order with the [illegible] old [illegible] Valley [illegible] of the members of the [illegible] Barracuda, flagship Hartford. And it is also true that [illegible] people assembled among the [illegible] heads bowed [illegible] silent supplication waiting for the performance of a blessing from the [illegible] Chaplain but [illegible] the [illegible] time [illegible] would [illegible] and [illegible] that this one of the little schemes in line with that other one of turning the clock back the members have when they want to get home to enjoy their New Years turkey.

The Speaker kindly waits until the chaplain is through with his prayer and the minister entitled with the duty has proved that the House adjourn until Monday, January 6th, when he puts the question and announces the ayes seem to have it, the ayes have it and the House stands adjourned until Monday, January 6th.

Of course I don't want you to infer and I don't propose to intimate that the minds of the Cabinet and delegation are completely in rest for the parties in any way to any such a transparent deception. Every man will be in his seat ready and anxious to respond to his country's call if it is only to vote for an appropriation of $500,000 for a postoffice for Oakland or $300,000 for a similar building for Alameda but I don't suppose it is worth while any Californian should [illegible] low whisper and [illegible] out that they are doing way [illegible].

CLEVELAND'S SLAP AT REED.

President Cleveland may at last be [illegible] that he has done at least one act during his most unfortunate administration that has met with a popular response—sending his message to Congress on the Venezuelan question. With the exception of a few Anglo-phobes in New York, marines and chicken fighters of New York preachers who have a less regard for the national honor than they have for the measure of commercial contribution [illegible] from Maine to California [illegible] shouting [illegible] Old Glory [illegible] with you. Democrats and Republicans, Northerners and Southerners, Republicans and Democrats, [illegible] and [illegible] to have [illegible] and [illegible] tested [illegible] across the sea.

But all this talk of war over Dom Pedro's building and [illegible] in poor little helpless Venezuela has [illegible] morning. As the [illegible] old Salisbury is reported to have [illegible] his [illegible] having to conjure up some [illegible] were altogether choked [illegible] which swallows the little [illegible] has prepared for him. But he knows he has got to take it when the [illegible] and the shrewd old fox who has been playing the game of diplomacy for half a century knows better than anyone else the absolute necessity of delay so that the temper of the American people can have time to cool off.

The suggestion and appointment of a commission by Cleveland to inquire into and arrive at all the facts in regard to the Venezuelan boundary has helped him out of at least the deepest hole he ever got into. There is uncertainty when this commission will report but from what has been intimated it is not supposed that it will conclude its labor for from four to six months.

John Bull could not ask for anything better than that and if he does the right thing he will come to the rescue of this administration's bankrupt treasury and offer to defray all the expenses and throw Canada into the bargain. Secretary of State Olney has all the facts and knows all about this case and all the necessary data and papers have been on file in the State Department for months showing, beyond any question, that the Schomburgk delimitation is a myth and that the English contention is founded on pure and unadulterated gall and nothing else.

A committee of Congress could have been appointed and inside of a week if they had only worked fifteen minutes a day, just as certain and satisfactory results could have been obtained as will be had by the $100,000 commission with all of its incident fuss and bustle and parade hereafter. The final result of the whole business will be that we will pay a nominal sum for some of the overt acts in violation of international law, get all the [illegible] and [illegible] of the [illegible] and [illegible] from being [illegible] with the substantial [illegible] from [illegible] Emperor William [illegible] Just [illegible] the [illegible] that [illegible] the Congressional [illegible] Venezuela [illegible] that is supposed [illegible] which I think [illegible].

WORKMEN AT THE STORE.

[illegible] the funeral [illegible] this building [illegible] Washington's birthday [illegible] the [illegible] Sons of [illegible] stunned [illegible] alone—the [illegible] First Virginia and [illegible] crossing. Cleveland [illegible] coming [illegible] only [illegible] shouting as [illegible] Cleveland was [illegible] Yes, sir! [illegible] Cleveland is the greatest living American by [illegible]. Why, sir, in my state [illegible] Commonwealth of Virginia [illegible] Cleveland, sir, [illegible] election [illegible] 100,000 majority, sir, and sir, Yes, sir, Mr. Cleveland is the greatest living American by [illegible].

This is not nothing the fact—for a moment did look as if the occupant of the White House held the [illegible] and that the Republicans could simply have to fall in and follow it but they forgot to take the unsophisticated Thomas Brackett Reed of the State of Maine into consideration.

Tom Brackett is somewhat [illegible] himself and when they set [illegible] to do [illegible] way or other. When he was appealed to by some of his friends to know what was going to be done Thomas simply winked his other eye and kept on sawing wood. But he has lost no time in getting his [illegible] into good working order.

That same evening he called his lieutenants together and told them that the Republican side it must be sustained at all hazards. In his [illegible] efforts to maintain the principles of the Monroe doctrine and incidentally our national honor he [illegible] only way to do that was to fill up his ample coffers with hard bright shekels which could and must be done by increasing the tariff on imported goods. Having set [illegible] Thomas satisfaction he told them that Mr. Carlisle's gold reserve was in a most deplorable condition and must be bought up to tide over a panic without any delay. This he [illegible] providing for a popular loan on the very lines that he had previously advised—[illegible] certificates by issuing bond at [illegible] interest.

When the Democrats saw that the Republicans were [illegible] to see them [illegible] to play the game [illegible] showed [illegible] everybody supposed [illegible] would do when they found—go off in a [illegible] the [illegible] were taking advantage of their country's distress to impose the [illegible] Cleveland wants the money badly, he says, he does not [illegible] doubts it he must take it on the [illegible] terms [illegible].

[illegible] opportunity yesterday [illegible] and one that [illegible] Republicans [illegible] Cleveland [illegible] Republicans [illegible] While trying his [illegible] speech in New Years [illegible] impression on Mr. Hilborn was moved by President Cleveland [illegible] up and [illegible] Mr. Hilborn [illegible] company him [illegible] known [illegible] the [illegible] building [illegible] would [illegible] [illegible] Hilborn [illegible] the President [illegible] was [illegible] Hilborn [illegible] President was [illegible] Hilborn [illegible] Secretary Carlisle [illegible] Hilborn [illegible] President [illegible] Secretary Carlisle [illegible] President [illegible] Secretary Carlisle [illegible] President [illegible] Secretary Carlisle

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MEIN IS IN PRISON.

A Well-Known Oaklander Is Charged With High Treason.

BOERS ARE SEEKING REVENGE.

America Proposes to Intervene and Protect Her Citizens.

OLNEY DOING GOOD WORK.

Great Britain Asked to Keep an Eye on Our Interests.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—The Cape Town correspondent of the Pall Mall Gazette cables that the persons arrested by the Boers at Johannesburg include the following additional Americans:

P. J. KING.
CAPTAIN MEIN.
CHARLES BUTLER.
J. S. CURTIS.

A dispatch to the Pall Mall Gazette from Cape Town published today says the latest advices from Pretoria state bail has been refused the ringleaders of the recent disturbances at Johannesburg and the other people arrested in the same connection have been liberated on $5,000 bail each.

The dispatch adds it is expected severe measures will be taken against the ringleaders of the uprising, in spite of the fact it is apparent they were deceived and taken by surprise by Dr. Jameson's incursion.

Sir Hercules Robinson, Governor of Cape Colony, it appears, made effort to secure leniency for the prisoners; but the extreme section of the Boers are much incensed and very difficult to control.

The new ministry for Cape Colony is regarded is a device to shield ex-Premier Cecil Rhodes, and Sir Hercules Robinson.

Rhodes, it is said, is in very bad health.

Advices from Johannesburg say the Uitlanders are expecting the Boers to make a house to house search for arms and it is stated the Germans have been holding meetings and passing resolutions telling Emperor William to mind his own business.

Dr. Jameson and his lieutenants, as far as known, are still at Pretoria.

The Times says the officials of the British South Africa Company deny Jameson was deposed from the post of administrator of their territory on recommendation of the company.

WELL KNOWN HERE.

Captain Thomas Mein Was a Resident of This City.

Thomas Mein is very well known here. He resided in Oakland for a number of years before he went to Africa, where latterly he has centered all his mining efforts. Whenever he sought relaxation from his work he generally found it in a trip to his former home in this city, which was located at 676 Eighteenth street. His family comprises a wife and three sons, Thomas Mein, Jr., Robert, aged 21, and William, aged 23 years.

Mr. Mein mined for a time in Placer county, but later worked a claim in Alaska.

He was there aided by his son Thomas, who, about three years ago was accidentally killed by a blast while he was working in the mine. The remains of the unfortunate young man were brought to this city and interred in Mountain View cemetery. The funeral was largely attended by people because the deceased and his family were both known and esteemed in the community.

About three years ago Captain Mein went to Africa, having been impelled to confine his attention to that region owing to the unfortunate accident in Alaska which deprived him of his son. He was then accompanied by his other sons, Robert and William, both of whom were educated in the High school in this city and the latter of whom was a graduate of the institution.

Since then but little has been heard from them.

Captain Mein was a native of Scotland and besides taking an active interest in the work of mining was one of the most expert mining engineers on the coast. His services commanded the highest remuneration and were always in demand.

IN HAMMOND'S BEHALF.

Prompt Measures Are Already Taken by Secretary Olney.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Senators Perkins and White of California called at the State Department today to urge Secretary Olney to take such steps as are necessary to secure the proper treatment of John Hays Hammond, the American mining engineer, reported to have been arrested by the Boer officials at Johannesburg on a charge of treason in connection with the recent rising of Uitlanders in the Transvaal.

Secretary Olney informed his callers he had cabled Mr. Manyon, United States consul resident at Johannesburg, to do everything proper for the protection of all the American citizens in the Transvaal.

Ambassador Bayard was cabled by Secretary Olney to secure from the foreign affairs office in London direction to the British representatives in South Africa to use their good offices to protect American citizens.

The secretary assured the California Senators that the American citizens in the Transvaal cannot be tried for treason so Hammond's life is not in danger.

The most that can be done, it is said, is to fine or imprison him, but it is probable this can be avoided.

Senators White and Perkins express satisfaction at what has been done in Hammond's behalf by the State Department.

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SOON TO BE SETTLED.

The Venezuelan Squabble Seem on the Eve of an Agreement.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—The Westminster Gazette this afternoon, touching upon the misunderstanding between Great Britain and the United States, says it sees a distinct break in the clouds, hopes that a settlement satisfactory to Great Britain and the United States will be affected with Venezuela direct and intimates the Brazilian minister is closely identified with the latest proposed solution to this controversy.

It was learned this afternoon that the cabinet council Saturday considered the question of re-establishing diplomatic relations with Venezuela, but no definite conclusion was arrived at.

Regarding the alleged statement by the foreign office that Canada had not agreed to the Behring sea arbitration treaty, the foreign office today authorized the Associated Press to say the foreign office never made any such statement, adding:

"The matter is in the way of being entirely settled and it is possible within a few days Sir Julian Pauncefote and Secretary Olney will reach a complete and explicit understanding."

In response to Secretary Olney's cablegram, Ambassador Bayard this afternoon, cabled the British Secretary of State for the Colonies had given him assurance he had instructed her majesty's high commissioner in South Africa to extend the same protection in behalf of John Hays Hammond and any other American citizens involved in charge of the rebellion in the Transvaal as would be shown in the interests of British subjects in like circumstances.

These cablegrams are believed here to be significant as indicating a better understanding between the two governments than was generally supposed to exist.

GOOD BUSINESS SENSE.

Pitcher Breitenstein Will Not Depend Wholly on Baseball.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 13.—Theodore Breitenstein, the speedy left-handed pitcher of the St. Louis Browns, who, it is stated, will leave that team next season, will enter the Southern Illinois league and play with the club representing the city of Chester.

He is not going to depend upon his base-ball playing for a living, but, backed up by moneyed men in Chester, will open a billiard and pool room there.

This is the story given out by his friends.

Asa Hazen, connected with the penitentiary there, is Breitenstein's chief backer.

Breitenstein's friends say his decision in the matter is final and irrevocable.

DEFENDED HER HERSELF.

The Floor-walker of a Dry Goods House Shot by a Clerk.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 13.—In the dry goods house of L. S. Ayres & Co. this morning Miss Ruth Gordon, a clerk, fired two shots at Harry Purviance, a floor walker.

One shot made an abrasion in Purviance's side. The second shot failed to take effect.

Purviance overpowered his assailant before she could fire again.

Miss Gordon charged Purviance with ungentlemanly conduct toward her.

Purviance is married.

A NEW CAUSE OF ALARM.

Secessionists Are Said to Have Started a Movement in Hawaii.

The Dole Government Will Be Badly Hampered by Such a Change.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—The special correspondence of the Associated Press from Honolulu by the steamer Australia, dated January 6th, states the Island of Hawaii is meditating secession from the Hawaiian government and the formation of its own government.

When the Legislature meets next month the secession movement will be brought up.

If the residents of Hawaii should decide to form their own government, nothing but outside interference could prevent it.

The Dole government would be powerless, as Hawaii is more thickly populated than any other island of the group.

Minister of Foreign Affairs Cooper is now on Hawaii trying to ascertain how widespread is the desire for secession.

Friends of the ex-Queen are anxious for war between England and the United States, believing that in the event of such hostilities England would seize the Hawaiian Islands and restore Liliuokalani.

Carl Klemme, exiled from the islands for conspiracy in connection with the 1895 rebellion, has returned, accompanied by his wife. He was given no permission to return and his been notified by the government if he does not leave at once he will be prosecuted for conspiracy. He says he will stand trial rather than leave.

The remaining political prisoners were released on New Year's day. They all agreed to support the present government.

E. P. Dole, formerly of Riverside, Cal., cousin of President Dole, has been made deputy attorney general.

The Hawaiian band, reported starving in an Ohio town, will be brought home at the expense of the government.

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STOP THE OUTRAGES.

A Resolution Regarding Turkey Is Placed Before Congress.

CHRISTENDOM IS AROUSED.

America Asked to Take a Hand in Stopping the Massacres.

THE DAY AT THE CAPITAL.

Morgan Makes Another Speech in Favor of Free Silver.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Today being the second Monday of the month, was, under the rules, set aside for consideration of business relating to the District of Columbia.

Before Chairman Babcock claimed the day, Morse (Rep., Mass.) presented the following resolution for reference to the committee on foreign affairs:

Whereas, the most mournful tragedy of the nineteenth century, has been and is now being enacted under the apparent sanction of the Sultan of Turkey, by which hundreds of thousands of Armonians are being ruthlessly slaughtered in cold blood, women being driven into captivity worse than death, and the inhabitants who have fled to the mountains are dying of cold and starvation.

Whereas, the blood of these martyred dead to cry to heaven for justice.

Resolved, That the committee on foreign affairs consider the expediency of reporting forthwith some expression by this government in the denunciation of these atrocities, and if they find we as a nation are powerless to act, that we invoke the co-operation of the allied powers to wipe the Turkish government off the face of the earth and secure freedom and independence for Armenia.

The resolution was referred.

The House then entered upon a consideration of district business.

Two unimportant bills were reported, after which the House went into committee of the whole to consider the pension appropriation bill.

THE SENATE.

Hill and the North Carolina Senators Are Still at it.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The Vice President today laid before the Senate a letter from the Secretary of the Treasury, in reply to the resolution of inquiry presented by Peffer as to whether a hundred million dollars in gold had at any time been set apart from other funds. The Secretary states this has never been done, there being no provision of law authorizing it.

Call (Dem., Fla.) submitted a number of petitions regarding Cuba, and asked that they be printed. Objection was made by Platt (Rep., Conn.)

The controversy between Mr. Hill and the North Carolina Senators occupied the Senate till 2 o'clock, when a free silver measure was advocated by Morgan of Alabama.

NOMINATIONS.

The President today sent the following nominations to the Senate:

Justice John A. Marshall, to be U. S. District Judge of Utah.

John W. Judd, attorney of the U. S., district of Utah.

Nat M. Brigham, Marshal of the U. S., district of Utah.

THE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE.

The Senate committee on judiciary today decided to report favorably the nomination of Charles B. Simonton to be District Attorney of the Western district of Tennessee. This appointment was opposed by Senator Harris and charges were filed, but were not regarded sufficient by the judiciary committee.

THE NORTHERN PACIFIC.

Arrangements for the Supreme Court Proceedings Over the Receivers.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The lawyers of the Northern Pacific railroad case have made an engagement with Justices Harlan, Field and Brewer of the Supreme Court for the presentation of the facts in those cases tomorrow.

They will ask to have the road either placed under one receiver or under one set of receivers, who will have charge of the road as an entirety instead of the present plan of numerous independent receivers.

The circuit of each of these judges cover a portions of the road.

THE SILVER CRUSADE.

Schemes That the Friends of the White Metal Are Watching.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—It is understood about the Senate that Senator Jones of Nevada is quite as anxious to serve the cause of silver in connection with the tariff bill as he is to promote the sugar interest.

Most of the silver men are of the opinion that the plan of the anti-silver Republicans is to get the House tariff bill through both Houses and have it sent to the President, by whom they think it will be vetoed.

This would raise the tariff question and tend to make it the sole issue in the approaching campaign.

The silver Republicans suspect that this is the wish of their anti-silver colleagues, and some of the former class are determined to if possible prevent the consummation of this scheme.

They think this can be done by putting a free coinage amendment on the tariff bill and it is altogether probable that an effort will be made in that direction.

It is said that Mr. Jones would co-operate heartily with his Republican silver friends in this direction.

He is acting as a Populist, and it is remembered in this connection that the Populists in their caucus a few weeks since declared for a silver amendment in the tariff as well as in the bond bill.

It is also considered good tactics in the fight for the silver sub-bond bill to hold the tariff bill in suspense for the present.

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NO MORNING SERMON.

Dr. De Witt Talmage Gives a Notice to His Flock.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Rev. Dr. DeWitt Talmage read among his notices last night the following:

"An outrageous wrong has been done me by many of the newspapers of this country concerning my pastorate in the church, and I call upon all newspapers who believe in fairness to state the following facts:

"'I have been preaching here in the evening by my own choice. As very many more people come to our church in the evening than can get inside the building, many of them standing in the street an hour and a half before the time of service, there was a petition, signed by all the board of elders and all the board of trustees and sanctioned by Dr. Sunderland, handed me inviting me to preach Sabbath mornings as well as Sabbath evenings. I much prefer to preach only in the evenings and certainly am not to blame because I have been petitioned to preach in the mornings. I now wish it distinctly understood that I will not, under any circumstances, preach the morning services.'"

DIED AS A DESPERADO.

A Negro Who Would Allow no White Man to Take Him Alive.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEWMANSVILLE, Fla., Jan. 13.—Chased by a posse, Harry Jordan, a negro desperado, wanted for murderously assaulting Dr. J. N. Cloud, took refuge in an unoccupied house near Alachua yesterday afternoon.

The negro barricaded the doors and swore he would kill the first man who attempted to enter.

The posse poured volley after volley into the house without injuring Jordan, who returned the fire with his Winchester.

The torch was applied but Jordan made no effort to escape.

He stood in the center of the burning building and fired his Winchester in a vain effort to kill some of his pursuers.

The roof of the building fell in and he was buried by blazing debris.

He freely boasted that no white man could take him alive.

BUSHNELL IS IN OFFICE.

He Succeeds McKinley as the Governor of Ohio.

The Retiring Executive Honored in a Neatly-Worded Speech.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 13.—The inauguration ceremonies inducting Asa S. Bushnell into the office of Governor began at 11 A. M., when Governor McKinley and staff and a joint legislative and citizens committee met him at the hotel and, escorted by troops of Cleveland and the Fourteenth regiment of the Ohio National Guards, proceeded to the State house, where Governor McKinley, addressing the multitude in the rotunda, referred in appropriate terms to the occasion, presented his successor with his commission and introduced him as Governor Bushnell.

Governor Bushnell made an extended address, concluding: "At the most fitting of all times it gives me the greatest and most sincere pleasure to congratulate you upon the honesty, dignity and wisdom of the administration of Hon. William McKinley as chief executive of the State. Ohio has been honored by him even as he has been honored by Ohio. May his destiny lead him to a pathway where he can give for the whole American people the same excellent service he bestowed upon his fellow-citizens of Ohio."

IN KENTUCKY BOURBON.

The Blue-Grass State Wants Its Ship to Be Christened Appropriately.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—A dispatch from Lexington, Ky., says whisky, not wine, will be used for christening the new battleship Kentucky.

Miss Hattie Richardson, who has just been selected by Secretary Herbert to perform the ceremony of naming the great engine of war, has so decided.

Miss Richardson is the great granddaughter of Commodore Bainbridge. She has met with distinguished triumph at the national capitol in New York, Brooklyn and San Francisco.

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The Assessor to Aid the County in Preparing the Register.

RECOMMENDATIONS ARE MADE.

Many Knotty Legal Points In Connection With Election.

A REPORT TO THE BOARD.

The Supervisors Handle a Matter Interesting to Voters.

The following opinion of the District Attorney on several subjects referred to him was rendered by Mr. Snook and read by him before the Supervisors at their meeting this morning.:

On the questions submitted to me by the Board of Supervisors of the county of Alameda, my opinion on the same is as follows:

First question: "When can the register be canceled?"

The law as amended in 1895 provides that when a new registration of voters is required by the Board of Supervisors that the same shall be commenced 160 days before a general election and shall continue for 75 days thence next ensuing, when the same shall cease. Similar language to the above was construed by the Supreme Court in passing upon the amendment to the same section, passed in 1893. The facts of said case were as follows: One Welch, possessing all the requirements of a voter in Fresno county, was enrolled on the Great Register of said county prior to the 16th day of January, 1892, and on said last named day the Board of Supervisors made an order canceling the Great Register and providing for a new and complete registration of the voters of said county, and the Clerk of said county immediately thereafter commenced the registration of voters. On the 17th of March following, the said Welch, upon his own application, and upon proper affidavits, had his name entered on said Great Register. His attention being subsequently called to the language then existing in section 1094 of the Political Code, which then read as follows: "Such registration (new) shall commence 100 days before a general election and shall continue for 85 days thence next ensuing ,when such registration shall cease," he concluded that the registration of his name, made, as it was, more than 100 days prior to the ensuing general election, was invalid, and therefore within said 100 days he applied to the Clerk to register his name anew, which demand was refused.

The Supreme Court says: "The object of the registration law is to prevent illegal voting by providing in advance of election an authentic list of the qualified electors.

"Necessarily any efficient system of registration must involve a certain amount of inconvenience to voters, and probably under the best system that could be devised some qualified electors would lose their votes through inability to avail themselves of the opportunities or to comply with the conditions of registration. The law should be so framed, therefore, and when its terms are doubtful should be so construed as to give the fullest opportunity to voters to procure the entry of their names upon the register that is consistent with reasonable precautions against fraudulent registration.

"The necessity of closing the register some days prior to the election, and the danger involved in the registration of large numbers of persons during a short period immediately preceding its close are apparent. But there does not seem to be any weighty reason for narrowly limiting the beginning of the registry. On the contrary, it would seem to be better in every respect, not only with a view to the convenience and security of honest electors, but more especially for the purpose of challenging the right of such person as may fraudulently procure their enrollment, to commence the registration as soon as practicable."

And further continuing the court says: "It (meaning the provisions of section 1094 of the Political Code) is easily susceptible of a construction which harmonizes with the unamended sections and the system of which they are a part. The requirement that registration when a new registry is ordered must commence 100 days before a general election means that it must commence at least that soon, and the effect of the requirement is that the Board of Supervisors cannot cancel the old register and order a new one, less than 100 days before a general election; they cannot, in other words, deprive the voters of that period of time within which to secure registration, but there is nothing in this provision to prevent them from giving a longer time which by various other sections they are directly and impliedly authorized to do."

Concluding the case the court says: "The Board of Supervisors are prohibited by the amendment from cancelling the existing register and ordering a new registration less than 100 days preceding a general election. They cannot allow less, but they may allow more than 100 days for registration, and it must cease fifteen days before the election (for the purpose of that election). The registry of a name in the new register may at any time after the old registry is cancelled and more than fifteen days prior to the election is lawful and valid."

Welch vs. Williams, 96 Cal., 366 et seq.

Construing the section of the Political Code 1094 as it now stands, and applying the reasoning of the court to the same section as it stood in 1889 the conclusion is inevitable, that the Board of Supervisors may allow more than 160 days for registration, and that such registration must cease for the purpose of a general election eighty-five days before such election, and that the registering of a name on the new register made at any time after the old register is cancelled and more than eighty five days prior to the general election, is lawful and valid, and that the Board of Supervisors may at any time order a re-registration before the time fixed by said section 1095, to-wit: 160 days before a general election but not afterwards.

THE PRECINCTS.

In reference to the third question, to-wit:

"Must the precinct be established before registration commences?"

Section 1127 of the Political Code provides relative to election precincts as follows: "The Board of Supervisors or other board having charge and control of elections in each of the counties and cities and counties of the State shall as soon before a general election as is convenient proceed to divide such county, or city and county, into election precincts of which there shall be as many as shall be sufficient to make the number of votes poled at any one election precinct to be not more than 200 as nearly as can be ascertained."

It will be noticed from said section that the precincts should be established as soon before a general election as convenient, and the only limitation as to time when the same shall be established, is found in subdivision 2 of section 1130 of the Political Code, which provides as follows: "No precinct must be established nor must the boundaries of one already established be altered within thirty days next precedinf a general or special election."

Subdivision 10 of Section 1096 of the Political Code as amended in 1895 provides: That the entry made in the Great Register by the Clerk must show the place of residence (giving the ward and precinct) in cities and counties of over 10,000 inhabitants, by specifying the name of the street, avenue, or other location of the dwelling of such elector.

Section 1113 of the Political Code as amended in 1895 provided that the Clerk must arrange all registration affidavits and precinct packages as fast as received, and must at the close of registration, where a new registration is required, arrange such previously separated precinct packages and enter the same in separate precinct books; such later entries to be completed at least 72 days before a general election.

It will be noticed that both in section 1096 of the Political Code and section 1113 as above quoted that the same concerns the entries in the Great Register and the precinct register therein required. I would advise therefore that the matter of establishing precincts be done at such time prior to said 72 days before a general election so as to give the Clerk an opportunity to enter the names in the precinct register as is required by law; but that such establishing of new precincts would in no way interfere with the cancellation of the old register, and providing for a new one if the board desired to order a new registration to commence at once, as it is apparent from the reading of the above sections that the Clerk must make these entries from proof established to his satisfaction; and if the street and number and ward of any city having over 10,000 inhabitants is sufficient proof to give the Clerk such information, such entry may be made by said Clerk before such precinct registers are completed.

TO AID THE CLERK.

As to the second question, to wit: Can the Board of Supervisors assist the Clerk financially in the preparation of the new Great Register in compiling and making the same? It would seem that prior to the amendment of section 1113 of the Political Code in 1895 the Board had such power, and this view is supported by the authority of Judge Beatty in a concurring opinion in the case of Dougherty vs. Austin, 94 Cal., on page 662, and also in the case of Frandsen vs. San Diego County, 101 Cal., page 317. But as amended in 1895 said section 113 of the Political Code makes no provision for any assistance to be provided by the Board of Supervisors in the matter of registration.

Relative to the fourth and fifth questions submitted to me, to wit: "What are the duties of the Clerk concerning registration of voters, and upon what proof must the Clerk register and what officers are charged with the furnishing of such proof?" It would seem from a reading of the Code that the Clerk is required to keep a register of the qualified electors of the county, and in case of new registration of the voters of the county such entry shall be made of those electors who are entitled thereto and who apply with proper proof.

Sections 1094 and 1095 Political Code.

Section 1096 of the Political Code provides as to what such entries in such Great Register by the Clerk must show, and what proof the Clerk must have before such name of the electors must be entered in the Great Register.

Section 1097 provides: "No person's name must be entered by the Clerk unless

"First—Upon a certificate of registration in another county, showing that such registration has been canceled, and upon proof by affidavit of the party that he is an elector in the county in which he seeks to be registered.

"Second—Upon the returns of the Assessor of a county.

"Third—If a naturalized citizen upon the production of his certificate of naturalization, which certificate must be issued ninety days prior to the succeed-

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WOULD DO IT AGAIN.

So Said Ben Hill While Talking of Why He Killed His Wife.

HE IS QUITE UNCONCERNED.

Circumstances and Details Leading Up to the Tragedy.

NO PREMEDITATION APPARENT.

Financial Clouds Hovered of Late Years Over Their Conditions.

Prompted evidently by jealousy Benjamin L. Hill on Saturday night shot and killed his wife, Agnes. The murder took place at the corner of Twelfth and Kirkham streets. Hill has at times been a baseball player in Oakland, a saloonkeeper in Suisun, a brakeman in the employ of the Southern Pacific and later a solicitor in Portland, Or. He had just returned from the north and claims to have discovered something which prompted his act. He is now at the city jail, about the most cool and unconcerned prisoner there. He does not repent his crime. He talks as dispassionately of killing his wife as he would of any ordinary everyday occurrence. It does not seem to be the only thought that fills his mind and when talking about the affair he will frequently ask some question entirely foreign to the conversation. For instance, he was asked by a Tribune representative this morning if he could live over his life since Saturday morning if he would do as he had done.

"Certainly,' he replied without hesitation, 'under the same circumstances I would. Say, got a toothpick?" He asked for a newspaper and while reading an account of the murder he came to a portion which stated that he had knelt by his wife when she was on the ground.

"What bosh," he said. "After shooting her I walked directly over to the power house and gave myself up." He displayed but little interest in the newspaper account and when he handed the paper back to the reporter he looked bored.

"Do you fear the consequences of your act?" was asked.

"No," he replied unconcernedly.

He either does not care what becomes of him or else he puts an infinite belief in juries in cases of this character. On some points his mind is apparently blank, while on others it seems marvelously clear. He remembers distinctly that he did not pause and lean over the prostrate body of his wife, still he says he has no idea of the number of shots he fired, nor whether all took effect. In point of fact, three did take effect and one struck a house across the street from the corner.

What he says in connection with the case he tells without hesitancy, but when a certain point is reached he pauses, passes it by quickly and no amount of questioning can get him to go into detail.

"It is a mistake," he said, "that I looked through the window in the Thompson house. I stood outside for some time waiting for my wife, but I never went to the window. At that time I had no intention of killing her and as we walked up the street my mind was still free from murder. Just as we reached the corner she told me something; something that no man will know of his wife and let her live."

"And that was?" asked the reporter.

"That I will not tell. It was a family affair and I killed her."

IN THE COURT.

When brought into the court this morning for arraignment Hill's appearance contrasted strongly with that of his fellow prisoners. His clothes were of a black material, neat and well fitting. His linen was clean and his cravat neatly arranged. He wore a black derby hat until the judge entered the room and when he removed it showed that his hair was neatly brushed. In appearance he would be pronounced good looking. His eyes, though grey, are pleasant and his hair is black. He is of medium height and just fleshy enough to look good natured.

During the arraignment he displayed the same stoicism that has marked him throughout. He said that his name is Benjamin L. Hill and the clerk read the complaint charging him with murder, sworn to by Detective Holland. The court instructed him of his right to an attorney and he said that he had engaged Tom M. Bradley to represent him. Mr. Bradley asked that the case go over until after the coroner's inquest and the court put the matter off until tomorrow to be set.

THE TRAGIC TALE.

The story of the shooting is briefly told. Hill arrived from Oregon Saturday morning and during the day saw his wife. A few minutes before 7 o'clock Mrs. Hill left the house of Mrs. J. H. Thompson at 1369 Eleventh street, with whom she had been stopping, and met her husband on the outside. Together they walked along Eleventh street east to Kirkham and up the western side of Kirkham toward Twelfth street. Just as they reached the corner she told him something, evidently of herself, and he drew his revolver and fired. Three shots took effect and she fell mortally wounded. Before a physician could be summoned she was dead.

THE FIRST LINK.

The story of their lives since marriage has been one of financial disappointments. Hill was a baseball player in Oakland, but in 1890 went to Suisun to play with the team there. When the season ended the townsmen disliked to part with Hill, for he had made himself popular and then secured him a position as a barkeeper in the employ of a man named Robbins. It was in Suisun that he met Miss Agnes Nelson, then 17 years of age. They loved and were married in 1891.

Hill bought a saloon and for a time things looked bright. But times got hard and last March he sold his business and came to Oakland with his wife and baby. He secured a position with the railroad company as a brakeman on a freight train and the family lived at 1024 Willow. For some reason Hill gave up his position last November and went to Portland. He was unable to secure employment there and could send no money to his wife. She could not meet her rent and at the request of the owner of the property she moved. Since then she had been stopping with Mrs. Thompson.

All through their struggle with penury it seems that his love for her never failed and his fondness was the talk of the neighbors. Every one speaks of him as a kind, considerate husband. She is well spoken of, too, and from what Mrs. Thompson says was very fond of her husband.

"Every letter she would get from him," says Mrs. Thompson, "would make her cry bitterly and those that she has shown me bore no reproach or complaint regarding her."

As to the wife's acquaintance with other men, stories conflict. Mrs. Thompson says that during the time Mrs. Hill lived with her she had but one male caller, and he was a man who had just left her husband in Portland and came for the purpose of telling her about him. She seldom went out evenings and when she did she returned early.

Dr. Hamlin held an autopsy yesterday morning. He discovered that one of the bullets had entered the right jaw, passed through the neck and was extracted on the right side of the neck. The other entered just above the right ear and ruptured the lateral sinus. This last wound was fatal, the first not necessarily so.

A further fact, also brought about by the autopsy was that Mrs. Hill was soon to become a mother. There is some talk of filing two charges of murder against Hill, but owing to the conflict of opinions it is hardly probable that more than one charge will be laid.

Mrs. Hill's relations consist of a mother, who is blind and a sister, Mrs. Mamie Paul, the wife of George Paul. They all live in Suisun. Mrs. Paul is prostrated by the news of her sister's death. They were very fond of each other and Mrs. Paul contributed largely towards Mrs. Hill's support.

Mr. Paul is the only one of the family in Oakland. He will remain here until after the inquest this evening, and in the morning will leave for home, taking with him the remains of the murdered girl.

Among the effects of the wife were a number of letters, but the two latest which passed between herself and husband will be sufficient to show the feeling existing between them. The letters are as follows:

Oakland, January 1, 1896.

My Dear, Dearest Husband: I know you think me very ungrateful, but if you only know what trouble I have had you would not say one word. Mrs. Mahoney never said one word to me only she hired Lawyer Cook of San Francisco and I had to move inside of three days. I got the notice on Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock and had to be all out by Saturday night, and it was too much work and made me sick, and I have a terrible cold. I have been stopping at Mrs. Thompson's. She has been very kind to me. Talk about Christmas! Mine was just as bad as yours. I cried nearly all day and I have cried so much of late that I am nearly dead with the headache. Blazer keeps well.

No, I have not been home since you left here, and Mamie has been real sick. She is not able to go out at all, but ma is just the same.

Ben, go wherever in this wide world you can and get work, so as to support the baby and I, or you will drive me from you entirely, as I must not have such a worry to support the boy and myself, and have a husband to keep me bound and tied.

I am willing to be just as true to you as a baby from heaven but all I ask is a good, proper living and my own kind husband again. And Ben, you can surely get work if you hunt around and be willing to do anything you first get hold of. You know you can't expect to have me write and do as I would if you don't try and support us.

O, Ben, I long to see you and be as we was once. I have stored all the furniture up town, and if I had money I would share it with you, but I have not, so I can't. I got a box from Edith and she sent me a box with handkerchiefs in a pretty hair pin box, and Blazer a rubber ball and two books, and you a tie with a pretty little pin in it. I will send it.

And Blazer got a book and a pointed bib and a pretty dress and a dollar from home and Lottie gave him a cane with slay bells on it and a train of cars and two horses to pull it. That is all we got.

Well, I must close, with a happy New Year to you from us both and a kiss and a hug to you. I am your loving wife and baby,

AGNUS AND BLAZER.

Address 1679 Lincoln street until I can give you mine, but any place and all places now.

270 Stark street, Portland, Or., January 5, 1895.—My Darling Wife—Dear Agnes: Your very welcome letter of the 1st received all O. K., and very glad I was indeed to once more have a few lines from you. I was sorry to hear you were not well, but hope you are all right by this time. So Miss Mahoney put you out. Well I expected it, didn't you? but not on such short notice. What did Freedman say? I have not been able to get anything to do yet, except a little canvassing, but I can't make anything at that. I had a letter from Jim. He wants me to come there; says I can live with him until I find work, but I don't just like that country—too cold in winter. I think I shall go to Southern California somewhere about Los Angeles, as soon as I can get a little ahead, and if I ever get in California again I will be careful that nothing drives me away again. I will get work just as soon as I can and I will do the best I can to send you some money, but to tell the truth I think you will be better off if you just quit me entirely, or, I will drive you from me just as you said, for I seem to bring bad luck to everybody that has anything to do with me, as well as to give myself bad luck. I honestly tried to do my best last summer, but just see how I came out. But if I had not lost that $50, perhaps it would have been all right. Everything seems to be against me and I don't seem to be any good, nor be able to supply my wife and child like a man should. I don't think I deserve to have a wife, and so I say for your own good, the sooner you leave a man like me the sooner you will get a little pleasure in this world, for I truly believe that if you had a man who would treat you half way as a man should that you would be a true, good wife for you have it in you to make some man the best wife that ever a man had.

You are young yet and have had experience enough in the past four years to learn to pick out a husband and also how a wife should treat a husband as well as how to take care of yourself.

My life is a miserable failure. I used to think that there was some good in me but don't any more. I don't seem to have one spark of a man about me, but you can't get blood out of a turnip, neither can you make a man of a —— fool like I am. My one dream of happiness has always been to have a little home with a loving wife and baby. I had all these but I didn't appreciate them. I threw them away and I have just come to realize that I am not fit to have a wife nor home, nor even friends, and I believe that God is punishing me as I deserve. How true those words, "Be sure your sin will find you out." Mine has most surely found me out, but I shall try and bear my punishment and nevermore plan nor thing of ishment and nevermore plan or think of

So don't consider yourself as bound and tied by a husband. As I said, I will do my best to help support you and the boy, but you know how I have supported you in the past, and that is all you have to judge the future by. Don't throw your whole life away on a miserable, good-for-nothing wretch like I am. Believe me, I will never bother any more than perhaps I may want to see the boy sometimes. It would be better if the boy never knew me or anything of me; for he would only be ashamed of such a father when he gets older. I am only a hindrance to your happiness, so I make these suggestions that you are better off without me around you; that as soon as you please you can get a separation from me or not, just as you like about that. I don't care for I shall never force myself upon another womah, nor have anything to do with married life again. But with you it is different. You are young and can get some man that is a good man, and you will enjoy a good home and a kind husband all the more for the terrible life I have led you.

God gave me a good pure girl for wife and prospects to be happy all my life. It is a shame that you have been punished for my sins, but you shall not be any more if I have to tear my heart out. God bless you my wife, for you are yet mine, and my boy—he will always be mine, although he may never know it. Nothing can ever make him anyone's but "Pop's boy."

Now, Agnes' I write this as I believe for your own good, not that I want to get away from you, for I shall always love you, and because I do love you I want to see you happy and enjoy life. I would to God that I could make you happy as your husband, but that has proved a failure. Now, just look at this right. Don't say I am doing this just to get rid of you, for I am not. I shall do my best to get work and send you money, but jobs are a very scarce article up here. I guess I will be able to get something soon though, at least I hope so. If I don't I shall have to move.

I sincerely hope that you are well and have gotten over your cold and headache. It must be a terrible job for you to move so soon, but Agnes, I only pray that your days of unhappiness are about over and that your future life will be sunshine. But Agnes, let me tell you this: Don't forget to pray to God that he will give you strength to overcome temptation for there is no happiness only in living a good life, and please say a prayer for me. Does Blazer talk much yet? Now please write a good long letter as soon as you get this, but you need not mention what I have written to me. With all my love and many hugs to you and Blazer, I am your loving husband, BEN HILL.

P. S.—I wish I had you and Blazer's picture taken together. Can't you get me one? Please, if you can.

A MORNING MURDER.

Councilman Heitmann Uses a Shotgun With Deadly Effect.

Councilman Heitmann has dyed his hands in innocent blood, not human blood, but canine. He turned bloodthirsty this morning when his little son Billy Jr., came home with a badly lacerated leg which had been inflicted by a ferocious bull dog kept by a family at Fourth and Brush streets.

The little fellow attends the Grove school and was attacked by the dog when on his way to that institution. The dog sprang for the boy's throat, but he warded the animal off with his umbrella. When Heitmann Sr. heard of the occurrence he loaded the family blunderbuss and took a walk toward the corner himself. The canine saw him coming and was about to give him a warm reception when the Councilman put an end to hostilities with two charges of bird shot.

There have been many complaints about the same dog. It frequently chased the children on their way to school, and with his little gun Heitmann has rendered the community a kindly service.

AN A. P. A. MEETING.

Consideration of the Candidates for Chief Lawton's Place.

A meeting of members of the A. P. A. was held on Saturday evening at the office of Attorney Aldrich for the purpose of considering the applications for fire chief. Candidate William Fair was present and agreed to conform with the obligations of the association. Fire Warden Murdoch was also on hand. He announced that he is no longer a candidate for principal honors but that he would like to retain his present place.

Those at the meeting were Charles Gunn, Murray Laidlaw, Dr. Thos. Carpenter, C. T. Johns, Dr. John Fearn, H. S. Aldrich, John Sands, Dr. Fall, Chas. Fawcett, F. M. Phelps, Ed. Lawrence, Poundmaster Weitzel, E. J. Holland, and Mr. Miller, the brother of the present street superintendent.

It is claimed today that the presidents of the A. P. A. councils state that the session was not authorized by their organization.

NO TRACE OF DE AYALA.

It Is Impossible to Settle Any Bills Against the Estate.

Attorney Mortimer Smith Has a Claim That He Wants Paid.

Attorney Mortimer Smith has a $500 claim in his pocket against the estate of Encarnacion De Ayala, and he is looking for Manuel De Ayala, the executor of the estate, who is said to have disappeared. The affairs of the estate have been in the Probate court for some years, and they are a long way now from final settlement.

Within the past two or three weeks another creditor of the estate has been pressing matters closely and the result was a settlement of Thomas Moran's $1,000 note, which has been in process of liquidation for a long time past.

Today Attorney Smith sought to have a claim of his client, L. Dresco, put in shape for settlement, but he has been unable to find executor De Ayala and inquiry made by the Attorney develops that the executor cannot be located.

When De Ayala's wife died Major J. E. McElrath was named as attorney for the executor. Before he resigned his services were embodied in a claim for $500 against the estate subsequently the bill was signed by McElrath to L. Dresco and now the assignee is looking to the estate for payment of the bill.

The claim was placed in the hands of Smith months ago and was duly filed but no payment has been made to date.

Interest in the matter was revived some days ago through the sale of some of the realty. The confirmation of the sale was delayed, because Attorney Shaw, who represented Moran, informed the court that De Ayala had been using some of the funds of the estate without warrant. On that statement a continuance was granted. When the matter was before the court a second Shaw consented to the confirmation on the showing that his client would be paid. The evidence that the executor was in a position to liquidate that claim led Smith to resurrect his bill. But he was less fortunate as De Ayala, for whom he has been searching, seems to have disappeared after settling with Shaw.

Smith says the estate, which was appraised at a valuation of $15,000, is beholden for the claim, but he fears there will be considerable difficulty in collecting it, if De Ayala does not appear again.

A STEAMER STRANDED.

The James Woodall Is Full of Water and the Crew All Safe.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CAPE HENRY, Va., Jan. 13.—The steamer reported ashore last night at New Inlet, N. C., proves to be the American steamer James Woodall, with a cargo of sugar and molasses, from New Orleans for Baltimore.

The vessel is now full of water.

The crew of two men were saved by life savers.

The Pullman Case.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 13.—Judge Butler in the United States Circuit Court today rendered a decision in the case of the Central Transportation Company against the Pullman Palace Car Company, dismissing the exceptions of the latter to awarding $2,552,000 to the Central Company.

The Central Transportation Company was absorbed by the Pullman Company in 1855, and suit was instituted to recover payments to the amount of over two millions alleged to be due.

The Stock Market.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—The stock market opened active with liberal fractional gains throughout the list. The strength in the market was attributed to more favorable political news from abroad. After 10:15 the market was quiet and featureless. Silver was 68¾c, and lead $2.90.

A Correspondent Arrested.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HAVANA, Jan. 13.—Charles Salomon, a correspondent of a New York newspaper, who arrived here on the steamer Seneca, was detained by the police, charged, it is believed, with having compromising letters in his possession.

MANY COUNTY CARES

The Supervisors Confronted With a Variety of Work.

APPEALS BY THE DESTITUTE.

Road Matters, Saloon Licenses and Some Election Business.

BERKELEY HEARD FROM.

Endeavor to Get the Blind Indigents From the Infirmary.

The Board of Supervisors met this morning, all the members being present.

After Clerk Jordan had read the minutes of last meeting, applications for relief were read as follows: George Dear of Harrison street, referred to Supervisor Church; Carl, the blind man who sells pencils at the Broadway depot, referred to hospital committee; Charles Ferber of Alameda, referred to Supervisor Church; Mrs. Mary Dixon, referred to Supervisor Talcott; A. G. Duhl, referred to Supervisor Johnston; Mrs. Fitch, referred to Supervisor Pelouze; Mary A. Barotrau, referred to Supervisor Church; Mrs. M. H. Berry of Second avenue, referred to Supervisor Talcott.

LIQUOR LICENSES.

Applications for liquor licenses were made by James Cassey, at Second and Apgar streets; Chris Peterson, to sell liquors at San Lorenzo, and J. H. Wurtys, to sell liquor at the stockyards.

Deputy County Jailor Lane sent in an application asking for four mattresses and a pair of woman's shoes.

Coroner Baldwin reported having held sixteen inquests.

BERKELEY'S ELECTION LAWS.

President Richardson of the Berkeley Board of Trustees asked the board to establish the county election precinct lines in Berkeley in accordance with the limits already established there under the new charter. The matter wes referred to the special committee on the printing of the Great Register, comprising the District Attorney, County Clerk, the County Surveyor and Supervisors Church and Pelouze.

Mr. Richards asked in behalf of Berkeley that the making of the Great Register be put off until after February 15th, because the making of it now would entail a hardship on Berkeley, which he said has its schools overcrowded, and in other ways must expend a great deal of money to supply needed accommodations.

Supervisor Church said that if the opinion of the District Attorney is to the effect that the County Clerk must make up the Great Register, it would not be advisable to put it off so long that the Clerk would not have time in which to perform the work.

A resolution was then adopted authorizing the County Surveyor to redistrict the county into voting precincts for election purposes.

A petition was received from L. Simonson, James Park, H. W. Whipple, A. Jones, M. W. Kelleran, William Allison, H. S. Lewis, Charles Critchelow and others of Elmhurst; M. S. Milane, Fruitvale; J. F. Barrachs and others of Fitchburg; D. Jackson of Mills Seminary; Manuel Stone of Moss tract, "to so reduce the rates lawful to be charged by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies for the use of water in the territory specified outside the corporate limits of the city of Oakland as will make them uniform with such lawful rates as were recently enacted to apply within the corporate limits of the city of Oakland."

The petition was referred to the ordinance and judiciary committee.

On motion of Supervisor Pelouze, Supervisor Church was appointed a committee to report to the committee of the whole the most reasonable figures that can be procured on office files.

On motion of Supervisor Church, the District Attorney was instructed to draft new pound and liquor ordinances, the present ones being defective.

The application of Mrs. Victoria Lopez for aid was denied. She has seven children, an able bodied husband, and resides in Alameda. The application was denied because Mr. Church said the husband ought to support the family.

The application of James Casey at West and Apgar streets, and James Dugan of Newark for permits to sell liquors, were referred to the judiciary committee.

The application of N. Bernadassi at Forty-second street and Telegraph avenue to sell liquors was granted.

The application for aid of Mrs. Sarah Cunningham, aged 75 years, resident of Pacific avenue, Alameda, was referred to Supervisor Church.

Officer J. Sharp was given permission to sojourn a few days at the county infirmary. In his case the word "Officer" forms the first name and is not a title. Sharp is 75 years of age, with unkempt hair and beard, and the general appearance of a man who is not only alone in the world, but has at the same time been tossed about without much regard to his feelings. He accepted the hospitality of the board with the remark that he was on his way to Mexico and would not tarry long here. He did not say how he was going to travel to the land of the Montezumas.

A resolution offered by Supervisor Johnston authorized the County Surveyor to survey the county road leading into Mission San Jose, to which claim is made by Juan Gallegos for the Palmdale Land Company.

A resolution was adopted ordering the Clerk to post a notice of election at the polling place and three other places within the proposed Adeline Sanitary district, the election to determine whether or not such a district shall be established, to take place February 5th.

On motion of Supervisor Church, the Clerk was instructed to correspond with the directors of the Industrial Home for the Adult Blind at Temescal, with a view to having that institution take care of five blind indigents in the county infirmary. He said that as the State is supporting blind people it ought to take care of these at the infirmary.

Supervisor Johnston said that he would second the motion in a hearty manner. The blind indigents in question ought to be given a chance to learn how to make a living.

The motion was adopted.

The Clerk said the courts had instructed the board to select 400 citizens as trial jurors.

DIED.

MOORE—In this city, January 12, 1896, Annie, beloved wife of James Moore, and mother of Mable C. Moore, a native of the Isle of Man, aged 50 years, 5 months.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services TOMORROW, Tuesday, January 14, 1896, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., at her late residence, 1122 San Pablo avenue.

Interment Mountain View cemetery.

ASKED TO ASSIST.

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ing election, or upon his own affidavit that it is lost, or out of his possession, which affidavit must state the place of his nativity and the time and place of his naturalization, together with his affidavit that he has resided in the United States for five years, and in this State for one year next preceding the time of application, and that he would be an elector of the county at the next preceding election; provided, however, if such naturalized citizen shall have been previously registered as a qualified elector in any of the counties or cities and counties in this State, his name must not be entered by the Clerk unless he provides a certificate of such registration issued by the party authorized by law to issue such certificate, which certificate shall be prima facie evidence of his naturalization.

"Fourth—If born in a foreign country, upon his affidavit that he became a citizen of the United States by virtue of the naturalizations of his father while he was residing in the United States and under the age of 21 years, and that he is or would be an elector of the county at the next succeeding election.

"Fifth—Upon the production and filing of a certified copy of the judgment of a Superior Court directing such entry to be made.

"Sixth—In other cases, upon the affidavit that he is or would be an elector of the county at the next succeeding election.

"Seventh—In every case the affidavit of the party must show all the facts required to be stated in the entry on the register, except the date and number of the entry."

THE ASSESSOR'S DUTIES.

Section 1098 of the Political Code provides: "That the Assessor of each county keep a roll of electors, on which, and upon like proof as is required for entries upon the Great Register, he must enroll the name of any elector of the county making application to him for that purpose."

Section 1099 of the Political Code provides: "That such enrollment must show the same facts as are required to be shown by the entry upon the Great Register."

Section 1101 of the Political Code provides: "That at the end of every month the assessor must return to the County Clerk a certified copy of all entries made upon his roll of electors during such month, and at affidavits made for the purpose of procuring such enrollment."

Section 1102 of the Political Code provides: "That upon the receipt of such return the Clerk must at once enter upon the Great Register the names contained and the statements made in such return."

It will thus be seen that the Clerk's duties are:

First—To keep a Great Register.

Second—To make entries thereon in accordance with the law above quoted upon such showing, and proof that would be sufficient to establish the facts necessary to be inserted in the Great Register, and that it is not necessary for the Clerk to send to the voter to obtain a registration affidavit, but that the voter must apply to the Clerk or the Assessor with such proof as may entitle the elector to have his name enrolled on the Great Register.

I am aware of the fact that heretofore the Assessor in this County has taken little part in the registration of the voters of the County, but that such is his duty is plain by a review of the above provisions of the law, and so the law seems to have been understood by the Supreme court, for in the case of Welch vs. Williams, supra, the court says: "By its provisions the Clerks and Assessors of the respective counties are authorized to receive applications for registry," "and the names of such applicants as appeared to be entitled to vote were entered on the register as received by the Clerk or as returned from month to month by the Assessor."

I can see no good reason why the Assessor of the County should not keep the roll of electors as is is provided for in section 1098 of the Political Code, and would suggest that such a course be followed in case of a new registration of the electors of the county, as it is evident from the fact that the force of men the Assessor now has in the field that it would be a great accommodation to the electors of the County, and relieve the office of the Clerk from the great inconvenient attendant upon such new registration of the voters of the County.

The same proof is required to be shown to the Assessor before the names of the voters of the County can be entered upon the roll of the electors that is required to be shown to the Clerk, and the same entries must be made upon such roll of electors as is required to be made upon the Great Register, and it is evident that it would be a great saving of time to the electors and aid the Clerk very materially in getting out such new register.

Respectfully submitted.

CHAS. E. SNOOK,
District Attorney.

Dated January 13th, 1896.

HE MUST GO TO TRIAL.

Denial of the Motion to Quash the Indictments Against Whidden.

Judge Frick Settles the Case and Then Exceptions Are Presented.

The motions to quash the indictments against County Auditor Myron A. Whidden returned by the grand jury were denied this afternoon by Judge Frick.

The court held that there was no legal ground for the motions to quash so far as they related to the form of the indictments. The fact that the names of witnesses had not been placed upon the indictments was not a valid reason for declaring them void.

Judge Frick said that Whidden could not take advantage of the fact that he had not been present when the grand jury considered the testimony taken that referred to his case. Had it been shown, however, that Whidden had been been refused permission to be present there would have been a legal ground for quashing the indictment.

Whidden, however, waived his right to be represented before the grand jury when he did not seek such representation when the jury was considering his case.

Judge Frick said the evidence on the motions as touching the insanity of grand juror Held indicated that Held was not of sound mind, but he did not believe that would affect the legality of the grand jury's actions. The court had found one opinion where the Supreme Court had decided adversely on the proposition that the death of a grand juror invalidated the action of the body.

Judge Frick said the formal opinion in the matter would be filed on Friday morning. The case was continued until that time, when Whidden will be called upon to be arraigned and to plead.

The District Attorney's office has been represented in the matter by Deputy L. S. Church, and Whidden's counsel is George De Golia.

De Golia asked for time in which to file a bill of exceptions to the decision.

MAY BE A BREAK-AWAY.

Acme Clubmen Are Talking of Defying the Amateur Union.

The Trouble Over the Dues Has Taken a Remarkable Turn.

The members of the Acme Athletic Club are up in arms against their suspension from the Pacific Athletic League. They think that they have been unjustly treated. Their dues are paid up to July, 1895. Their dues for 1895-96 should have been paid in advance last July. But at the same time they are not legally delinquent until July, 1896. The Acme boys think therefore that the directors were a little hasty in their action.

President Humphreys is writing a letter now which will be received at the Acme Club tomorrow.

It will forbid the club holding its boxing and wrestling tournament tomorrow night unless the dues are paid. The participants will be declared professionals. But not withstanding the club will hold its gentleman's night come what may. The club has decided to stand independent. This morning several of the directors were in favor of paying the dues. Others who formed the majority, said "No, let the whole affair be sifted to the bottom."

In standing independent and trying to establish a new league the club does not make a new move. For several years the proposition of a new league has been advocated. The Pacific Athletic League has been unsatisfactory. It is a branch of the American Athletic Union and under its control.

Consequently it took from three weeks to two months to enter a protest and get an answer as all communications had to be sent East to the American Athletic League. Aside from this the Pacific Association in itself has not been all that could be desired. For a time it was almost entirely under the Olympic Club. The directors showed partiality to that club. The present board is the best for some years and are making an earnest endeavor to suppress all taint of professionalism.

The present agitation brings the matter to a head. That a new league will be formed is possible and even probable. The Acme will be the first to withdraw. She will pay her dues up in full and formally sever all connection with the Coast League.

Superintendent Van Court of the Acme Club spoke to Mr. Fitzgerald about his pet scheme. The Reliance president expressed himself as being in favor of the proposition. He, however, does not wish to withdraw from the American Athletic Union, however. He has promised to give the matter careful consideration. As the matter now stands a new coast athletic society will be formed seemingly without a doubt. It should be strong enough to force recognition from the Eastern Athletes. This it will endeavor to do. If, however, she should fail in this an independent athletic league will be formed on the Pacific Coast.

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PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California. In the matter of the estate of Mary S. Schofield, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc., and application for letters of administration with the will annexed.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Mary S. Schofield, deceased, and for the issuance to H. S. Haseltine of letters of administration with the will annexed has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 27th day of January, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 4, of said Court at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same, and show cause if any they have why said petition should not be granted.

Dated, January 13, 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By J. CAL EWING, Deputy Clerk.

Indorsed, filed January 13, 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By J. CAL EWING, Deputy Clerk.

W. G. Witter, attorney for petitioner, Mills building, San Francisco, Cal.

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MEIN IS IN PRISON.

A Well-Known Oaklander Is Charged With High Treason.

BOERS ARE SEEKING REVENGE.

America Proposes to Intervene and Protect Her Citizens.

OLNEY DOING GOOD WORK.

Great Britain Asked to Keep an Eye on Our Interests.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—The Cape Town correspondent of the Pall Mall Gazette cables that the persons arrested by the Boers at Johannesburg include the following additional Americans:

P. J. KING,
CAPTAIN MEIN,
CHARLES BUTLER,
J. S. CURTIS.

A dispatch to the Pall Mall Gazette from Cape Town published today says the latest advices from Pretoria state ball has been refused the ringleaders of the recent disturbances at Johannesburg and the other people arrested in the same connection have been liberated on $5,000 bail each.

The dispatch adds it is expected severe measures will be taken against the ringleaders of the uprising. In spite of the fact it is apparent they were deceived and taken by surprise by Dr. Jameson's incursion.

Sir Hercules Robinson, Governor of Cape Colony, it appears, made effort to secure leniency for the prisoners; but the extreme section of the Boers are much incensed and very difficult to control.

The new ministry for Cape Colony is regarded is a device to shield ex-Premier Cecil Rhodes, and Sir Hercules Robinson.

Rhodes, it is said, is in very bad health.

Advices from Johannesburg say the Uitlanders are expecting the Boers to make a house to house search for arms and it is stated the Germans have been holding meetings and passing resolutions, telling Emperor William to mind his own business.

Dr Jameson and his lieutenants, as far as known, are still at Pretoria.

The Times says the officials of the British South Africa Company deny Jameson was deposed from the post of administrator of their territory on recommendation of the company.

WELL KNOWN HERE.

Captain Thomas Mein Was a Resident of This City.

Thomas Mein is very well known here. He resided in Oakland for a number of years before he went to Africa, where latterly he has centered all his mining efforts. Whenever he sought relaxation from his work he generally found it in a trip to his former home in this city, which was located at 676 Eighteenth street. His family comprises a wife and three sons, Thomas Mein, Jr., Robert, aged 21, and William, aged 23 years.

Mr. Mein mined for a time in Placer county, but later worked a claim in Alaska.

He was there aided by his son Thomas, who, about three years ago was accidentally killed by a blast while he was working in the mine. The remains of the unfortunate young man were brought to this city and interred in Mountain View cemetery. The funeral was largely attended by people because the deceased and his family were both known and esteemed in the community.

About three years ago Captain Mein went to Africa, having been impelled to confine his attention to that region owing to the unfortunate accident in Alaska which deprived him of his son. He was then accompanied by his other sons, Robert and William, both of whom were educated in the High school in this city and the latter of whom was a graduate of the institution.

Since then but little has been heard from them.

Captain Mein was a native of Scotland and besides taking an active interest in the work of mining was one of the most expert mining engineers on the coast. His services commanded the highest remuneration and were always in demand.

IN HAMMOND'S BEHALF.

Prompt Measures Are Already Taken by Secretary Olney.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Senators Perkins and White of California called at the State Department today to urge Secretary Olney to take such steps as are necessary to secure the proper treatment of John Hays Hammond, the American mining engineer, reported to have been arrested by the Boer officials at Johannesburg on a charge of treason in connection with the recent rising of Uitlanders in the Transvaal.

Secretary Olney informed his callers he had cabled Mr. Munyon, United States consul resident at Johannesburg, to do everything proper for the protection of all the American citizens in the Transvaal.

Ambassador Bayard was cabled by Secretary Olney to secure from the foreign affairs office in London direction to the British representatives in South Africa to use their good offices to protect American citizens.

The secretary assured the California Senators that the American citizens in the Transvaal cannot be tried for treason so Hammond's life is not in danger.

The most that can be done, it is said, is to fine or imprison him, but it is probable this can be avoided.

Senators White and Perkins express satisfaction at what has been done in Hammond's behalf by the State Department.

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SOON TO BE SETTLED.

The Venezuelan Squabble Seems on the Eve of an Agreement.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—The Westminster Gazette this afternoon touching upon the misunderstanding between Great Britain and the United States, says it sees a distinct break in the clouds, hopes that a settlement satisfactory to Great Britain and the United States will be effected with Venezuela direct and intimates the Brazilian minister is closely identified with the latest proposed solution to this controversy.

It was learned this afternoon that the cabinet council Saturday considered the question of re-establishing diplomatic relations with Venezuela, but no definite conclusion was arrived at.

Regarding the alleged statement by the foreign office that Canada had not agreed to the Behring sea arbitration treaty, the foreign office today authorized the Associated Press to say the foreign office never made any such statement, adding:

"The matter is in the way of being entirely settled and it is possible within a few days Sir Julian Pauncefote and Secretary Olney will reach a complete and explicit understanding."

In response to Secretary Olney's cablegram, Ambassador Bayard this afternoon, cabled the British Secretary of State for the Colonies had given him assurance he had instructed her majesty's high commissioner in South Africa to extend the same protection in behalf of John Hays Hammond and any other American citizens involved in charge of the rebellion in the Transvaal as would be shown in the interests of British subjects in like circumstances.

These cablegrams are believed here to be significant as indicating a better understanding between the two governments than was generally supposed to exist.

GOOD BUSINESS SENSE.

Pitcher Breitenstein Will Not Depend Wholly on Baseball.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 13.—Theodore Breitenstein, the speedy left-handed pitcher of the St. Louis Browns, who, it is stated, will leave that team next season, will enter the Southern Illinois league and play with the club representing the city of Chester.

He is not going to depend upon his base-ball playing for a living, but, backed up by moneyed men in Chester, will open a billiard and pool room there.

This is the story given out by his friends.

Asa Hazen, connected with the penitentiary there, is Breitenstein's chief backer.

Breitenstein's friends say his decision in the matter is final and irrevocable.

DEFENDED HER HERSELF.

The Floor-walker of a Dry Goods House Shot by a Clerk.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

INDIANAPOLIS Jan 13.—In the dry goods house of L. S. Ayres & Co. this morning Miss Ruth Gordon, a clerk, fired two shots at Harry Purviance, a floor walker.

One shot made an abrasion in Purviance's side. The second shot failed to take effect.

Purviance overpowered his assailant before she could fire again.

Miss Gordon charged Purviance with urgent immoral conduct toward her.

Purviance is married.

A NEW CAUSE OF ALARM.

Secessionists Are Said to Have Started a Movement in Hawaii.

The Dole Government Will Be Badly Hampered by Such a Change.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—The special correspondence of the Associated Press from Honolulu by the steamer Australia, dated January 6th, states the Island of Hawaii is meditating secession from the Hawaiian government and the formation of its own government.

When the Legislature meets next month the secession movement will be brought up.

If the residents of Hawaii should decide to form their own government, nothing but outside interference could prevent it.

The Dole government would be powerless, as Hawaii is more thickly populated than any other island of the group.

Minister of Foreign Affairs Cooper is now on Hawaii trying to ascertain how widespread is the desire for secession.

Friends of the ex-Queen are anxious for war between England and the United States, believing that in the event of such hostilities England would seize the Hawaiian islands and restore Liliuokalani.

Carl Klemme, exiled from the islands for conspiracy in connection with the 1895 rebellion, has returned, accompanied by his wife. He was given no permission to return and his been notified by the government if he does not leave at once he will be prosecuted for conspiracy. He says he will stand trial rather than leave.

The remaining political prisoners were released on New Year's day. They ll agreed to support the present government.

E. P. Dole, formerly of Riverside, Cal., cousin of President Dole, has been made deputy attorney general.

The Hawaiian band, reported starving in an Ohio town, will be brought home at the expense of the government.

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STOP THE OUTRAGES.

A Resolution Regarding Turkey Is Placed Before Congress.

CHRISTENDOM IS AROUSED.

America Asked to Take a Hand in Stopping the Massacres.

THE DAY AT THE CAPITAL.

Morgan Makes Another Speech in Favor of Free Silver.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Today being the second Monday of the month, was, under the rules, set aside for consideration of business relating to the District of Columbia.

Before Chairman Babcock claimed the day, Morse (Rep. Mass.) presented the following resolution for reference to the committee on foreign affairs:

Whereas, the most mournful tragedy of the nineteenth century, has been and is now being enacted under the apparent sanction of the Sultan of Turkey, by which hundreds of thousands of Armenians are being ruthlessly slaughtered in cold blood, women being driven into captivity worse than death, and the inhabitants who have fled to the mountains are dying of cold and starvation.

Whereas, the blood of these martyred dead to cry to heaven for justice.

Resolved, That the committee on foreign affairs consider the expediency of reporting forthwith some expression by this government in the denunciation of these atrocities, and if they find we as a nation are powerless to act, that we invoke the co-operation of the allied powers to wipe the Turkish government off the face of the earth and secure freedom and independence for Armenia.

The resolution was referred.

The House then enfered upon a consideration of district business.

Two unimportant bills were reported, after which the House went into committee of the whole to consider the pension appropriation bill.

THE SENATE.

Hill and the North Carolina Senators Are Still at It.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The Vice President today laid before the Senate a letter from the Secretary of the Treasury, in reply to the resolution of inquiry presented by Peffer as to whether a hundred million dollars in gold had at any time been set apart from other funds. The Secretary states this has never been done, there being no provision of law authorizing it.

Call (Dem., Fla.) submitted a number of petitions regarding Cuba, and asked that they be printed. Objection was made by Platt (Rep., Conn.)

The controversy between Mr. Hill and the North Carolina Senators occupied the Senate till 2 o'clock, when a free silver measure was advocated by Morgan of Alabama.

NOMINATIONS.

The President today sent the following nominations to the Senate:

Justice John A. Marshall, to be U. S. District Judge of Utah.

John W. Judd, attorney of the U. S., district of Utah.

Nat M. Brigham, Marshal of the U. S., district of Utah.

THE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE.

The Senate committee on judiciary today decided to report favorably the nomination of Charles B. Simonton to be District Attorney of the Western district of Tennessee. This appointment was opposed by Senator Harris and charges were filed, but were not regarded sufficient by the judiciary committee.

THE NORTHERN PACIFIC.

Arrangements for the Supreme Court Proceedings Over the Receivers.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The lawyers of the Northern Pacific railroad case have made an engagement with Justices Harlan, Field and Brewer of the Supreme Court for the presentation of the facts in those cases tomorrow.

They will ask to have the road either placed under one receiver or under one set of receivers, who will have charge of the road as an entirety instead of the present plan of numerous independent receivers.

The circuit of each of these judges cover a portions of the road.

THE SILVER CRUSADE.

Schemes That the Friends of the White Metal Are Watching.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—It is understood about the Senate that Senator Jones of Nevada is quite as anxious to serve the cause of silver in connection with the tariff bill as he is to promote the sugar interest.

Most of the silver men are of the opinion that the plan of the anti-silver Republicans is to get the House tariff bill through both Houses and have it sent to the President, by whom they think it will be vetoed.

This would raise the tariff question and tend to make it the sole issue in the approaching campaign.

The silver Republicans suspect that this is the wish of their anti-silver colleagues, and some of the former class are determined to if possible prevent the consummation of this scheme.

They think this can be done by putting a free coinage amendment on the tariff bill and it is altogether probable that an effort will be made in that direction.

It is said that Mr. Jones would co-operate heartily with his Republican silver friends in this direction.

He is acting as a Populist, and it is remembered in this connection that the Populists in their caucus a few weeks since declared for a silver amendment in the tariff as well as in the bond bill.

It is also considered good tactics in the fight for the silver sub-bond bill to hold the tariff bill in suspense for the present.

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NO MORNING SERMON.

Dr. De Witt Talmage Gives a Notice to His Flock.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Rev. Dr. DeWitt Talmage read among his notices last night the following:

"An outrageous wrong has been done me by many of the newspapers of this country concerning my pastorate in the church, and I call upon all newspapers who believe in fairness to state the following facts:

"I have been preaching here in the evening by my own choice. As very many more people come to our church in the evening than can get inside the building, many of them standing in the street an hour and a half before the time of service, there was a petition, signed by all the board of elders and all the board of trustees and sanctioned by Dr. Sunderland, handed me inviting me to preach Sabbath mornings as well as Sabbath evenings. I much prefer to preach only in the evenings and certainly am not to blame because I have been petitioned to preach in the mornings. I now wish it distinctly understood that I will not, under any circumstances, preach the morning services.'"

DIED AS A DESPERADO.

A Negro Who Would Allow no White Man to Take Him Alive.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEWMANSVILLE, Fla., Jan. 13.—Chased by a posse, Harry Jordan, a negro desperado, wanted for murderously assaulting Dr. J. N. Cloud, took refuge in an unoccupied house near Alachua yesterday afternoon.

The negro barricaded the doors and swore he would kill the first man who attempted to enter.

The posse poured volley after volley into the house without injuring Jordan, who returned the fire with his Winchester.

The torch was applied but Jordan made no effort to escape.

He stood in the center of the burning building and fired his Winchester in a vain effort to kill some of his pursuers.

The roof of the building fell in and he was buried by blazing debris.

He freely boasted that no white man could take him alive.

BUSHNELL IS IN OFFICE.

He Succeeds McKinley as the Governor of Ohio.

The Retiring Executive Honored in a Neatly-Worded Speech.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 13.—The inauguration ceremonies inducting Asa S. Bushnell into the office of Governor began at 11 A. M., when Governor McKinley and staff and a joint legislative and citizens committee met him at the hotel and, escorted by troops of Cleveland and the Fourteenth regiment of the Ohio National Guards, proceeded to the State house, where Governor McKinley, addressing the multitude in the rotunda, referred in appropriate terms to the occasion, presented his successor with his commission and introduced him as Governor Bushnell.

Governor Bushnell made an extended address, concluding: "At the most fitting of all times it gives me the greatest and most sincere pleasure to congratulate you upon the honesty, dignity and wisdom of the administration of Hon. William McKinley as chief executive of the State. Ohio has been honored by him even as he has been honored by Ohio. May his destiny lead him to a pathway where he can give for the whole American people the same excellent service he bestowed upon his fellow-citizens of Ohio."

IN KENTUCKY BOURBON.

The Blue-Grass State Wants Its Ship to Be Christened Appropriately.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—A dispatch from Lexington, Ky., says whisky, not wine, will be used for christening the new battleship Kentucky.

Miss Hattie Richardson, who has just been selected by Secretary Herbert to perform the ceremony of naming the great engine of war, has so decided.

Miss Richardson is the great granddaughter of Commodore Bainbridge. She has met with distinguished triumph at the national capitol in New York, Brooklyn and San Francisco.

ASKED TO ASSIST.

The Assessor to Aid the County in Preparing the Register.

RECOMMENDATIONS ARE MADE.

Many Knotty Legal Points in Connection With Election.

A REPORT TO THE BOARD.

The Supervisors Handle a Matter Interesting to Voters.

The following opinion of the District Attorney on several subjects referred to him was rendered by Mr. Snook and read by him before the Supervisors at their meeting this morning:

On the questions submitted to me by the Board of Supervisors of the county of Alameda, my opinion on the same is as follows:

First question: "When can the register be canceled?"

The law as amended in 1895 provides that when a new registration of voters is required by the Board of Supervisors that the same shall be commenced 160 days before a general election and shall continue for 75 days thence next ensuing, when the same shall cease. Similar language to the above was construed by the Supreme Court in passing upon the amendment to the same section, passed in 1889. The facts of said case were as follows: One Welch, possessing all the requirements of a voter in Fresno county, was enrolled on the Great Register of said county prior to the 16th day of January, 1892, and on said last named day the Board of Supervisors made an order canceling the Great Register and providing for a new and complete registration of the voters of said county, and the Clerk of said county immediately thereafter commenced the registration of voters. On the 17th of March following, the said Welch, upon his own application, and upon proper affidavits, had his name entered on said Great Register. His attention being subsequently called to the language then existing in section 1094 of the Political Code, which then read as follows: "Such registration (new) shall commence 100 days before a general election and shall continue for 85 days thence next ensuing, when such registration shall cease," he concluded that the registration of his name, made, as it was, more than 100 days prior to the ensuing general election, was invalid, and therefore within said 100 days he applied to the Clerk to register his name anew, which demand was refused.

The Supreme Court says: "The object of the registration law is to prevent illegal voting by providing in advance of election an authentic list of the qualified electors.

"Necessarily any efficient system of registration must involve a certain amount of inconvenience to voters, and probably under the best system that could be devised some qualified electors would lose their votes through inability to avail themselves of the opportunities or to comply with the conditions of registration. The law should be so framed, therefore, and when its terms are doubtful should be so construed as to give the fullest opportunity to voters to procure the entry of their names upon the register that is consistent with reasonable precautions against fraudulent registration.

"The necessity of closing the register some days prior to the election, and the danger involved in the registration of large numbers of persons during a short period immediately preceding its close are apparent. But there does not seem to be any weighty reason for narrowly limiting the beginning of the registry. On the contrary, it would seem to be better in every respect, not only with a view to the convenience and security of honest electors, but more especially for the purpose of challenging the right of such persons as may fraudulently procure their enrollment, to commence the registration as soon as practicable."

And further continuing the court says: "It (meaning the provisions of section 1094 of the Political Code) is easily susceptible of a construction which harmonizes with the unamended sections and the system of which they are a part. The requirement that registration when a new registry is ordered must commence 100 days before a general election means that it must commence at least that soon, and the effect of the requirement is that the Board of Supervisors cannot cancel the old register and order a new one, less than 100 days before a general election; they cannot, in other words, deprive the voters of that period of time within which to secure registration, but there is nothing in this provision to prevent them from giving a longer time which by various other sections they are directly and impliedly authorized to do."

Concluding the case the court says: "The Board of Supervisors are prohibited by the amendment from canceling the existing register and ordering a new registration less than 100 days preceding a general election. They cannot allow less, but they may allow more than 100 days for registration, and it must cease fifteen days before the election (for the purpose of that election). The registry of a name in the new register may at any time after the old registry is cancelled and more than fifteen days prior to the election be lawful and valid."

Welch vs. Williams, 96 Cal., 366 et seq.

Construing the section of the Political Code 1094 as it now stands, and applying the reasoning of the court to the same section as it stood in 1889 the conclusion is inevitable, that the Board of Supervisors may allow more than 160 days for registration, and that such registration must cease for the purpose of a general election eighty-five days before such election, and that the registering of a name in the new register made at any time after the old register is cancelled and more than eighty-five days prior to the general election, is lawful and valid, and that the Board of Supervisors may at any time order a re-registration before the time fixed by said section 1094, to-wit: 160 days before a general election but not afterwards.

THE PRECINCTS.

In reference to the third question, to-wit:

"Must the precinct be established before registration commences?"

Section 1127 of the Political Code provides relative to election precincts as follows: "The Board of Supervisors or other board having charge and control of elections in each of the counties and cities and counties of the State shall as soon before a general election as is convenient proceed to divide such county, or city and county, into election precincts of which there shall be as many as shall be sufficient to make the number of votes polled at any one election precinct to be not more than 200 as nearly as can be ascertained."

It will be noticed from said section that the precincts should be established as soon before a general election as convenient, and the only limitation as to time when the same shall be established, as found in subdivision 2 of section 1139 of the Political Code, which provides as follows: "No precinct must be established nor must the boundaries of one already established be altered within thirty days next preceding a general or special election."

Subdivision 10 of Section 1096 of the Political Code as amended in 1895 provides That the entry made in the Great Register by the Clerk must show the place of residence (giving the ward and precinct) in cities and counties of over 10,000 inhabitants, by specifying the name of the street, avenue, or other location of the dwelling of such elector.

Section 1113 of the Political Code as amended in 1895 provided that the Clerk must arrange all registration affidavits and precinct packages as fast as received, and must at the close of registration, where a new registration is required, arrange such previously separated precinct packages and enter the same in separate precinct books; such later entries to be completed at least 72 days before a general election.

It will be noticed that both in section 1096 of the Political Code and section 1113 as above quoted that the same concerns the entries in the Great Register and the precinct register therein required. I would advise therefore that the matter of establishing precincts be done at such time prior to said 72 days before a general election so as to give the Clerk an opportunity to enter the names in the precinct register as is required by law; but that such establishing of new precincts would in no way interfere with the cancellation of the old register, and providing for a new one if the board desired to order a new registration to commence at once, as it is apparent from the reading of the above sections that the Clerk must make these entries from proof established to his satisfaction; and if the street and number and ward of any city having over 10,000 inhabitants is sufficient proof to give the Clerk such information, such entry may be made by said Clerk before such precinct registers are completed.

TO AID THE CLERK.

As to the second question, to wit: Can the Board of Supervisors assist the Clerk financially in the preparation of the new Great Register in compiling and making the same? It would seem that prior to the amendment of section 1113 of the Political Code in 1895 the Board had such power, and this view is supported by the authority of Judge Beatty in a concurring opinion in the case of Dougherty vs. Austin, 94 Cal., on page 662, and also in the case of Frandsen vs. San Diego County, 101 Cal., page 317. But as amended in 1895 said section 113 of the Political Code makes no provision for any assistance to be provided by the Board of Supervisors in the matter of registration.

Relative to the fourth and fifth questions submitted to me, to wit: "What are the duties of the Clerk concerning registration of voters, and upon what proof must the Clerk register and what officers are charged with the furnishing of such proof?" It would seem from a reading of the Code that the Clerk is required to keep a register of the qualified electors of the county, and in case of new registration of the voters of the county such entry shall be made of those electors who are entitled thereto and who apply with proper proof.

Sections 1094 and 1095 Political Code.

Section 1096 of the Political Code provides as to what such entries in such Great Register by the Clerk must show, and what proof the Clerk must have before such name of the electors must be entered in the Great Register.

Section 1097 provides: "No person's name must be entered by the Clerk unless

"First—Upon a certificate of registration in another county, showing that such registration has been canceled, and upon proof by affidavit of the party that he is an elector in the county in which he seeks to be registered.

"Second—Upon the returns of the Assessor of a county.

"Third—If a naturalized citizen upon the production of his certificate of naturalization, which certificate must be issued ninety days prior to the succeed-

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WOULD DO IT AGAIN.

So Said Ben Hill While Talking of Why He Killed His Wife.

HE IS QUITE UNCONCERNED.

Circumstances and Details Leading Up to the Tragedy.

NO PREMEDITATION APPARENT.

Financial Clouds Hovered of Late Years Over Their Conditions.

Prompted evidently by jealousy Benjamin L. Hill on Saturday night shot and killed his wife Agnes. The murder took place at the corner of Twelfth and Kirkham streets. Hill has at times been a baseball player in Oakland, a saloonkeeper in Suisun, a brakeman in the employ of the Southern Pacific and later a solicitor in Portland, Or. He had just returned from the north and claims to have discovered something which prompted his act. He is now at the city jail, about the most cool and unconcerned prisoner there. He does not repent his crime. He talks as dispassionately of killing his wife as he would of any ordinary everyday occurrence. It does not seem to be the only thought that fills his mind and when talking about the affair he will frequently ask some question entirely foreign to the conversation. For instance, he was asked by a Tribune representative this morning if he would live over his life since Saturday morning if he would do as he had done.

"Certainly," he replied without hesitation, "under the same circumstances I would. Say, got a toothpick?" He asked for a newspaper and while reading an account of the murder he came to a portion which stated that he had knelt by his wife when she was on the ground.

"What bosh," he said. "After shooting her I walked directly over to the power house and gave myself up." He displayed but little interest in the newspaper account and when he handed the paper back to the reporter he looked bored.

"Do you fear the consequences of your act?" was asked.

"No," he replied unconcernedly.

He either does not care what becomes of him or else he puts an infinite belief in juries in cases of this character. On some points his mind is apparently blank, while on others it seems marvelously clear. He remembers distinctly that he did not pause and lean over the prostrate body of his wife, still he says he has no idea of the number of shots he fired, nor whether all took effect. In point of fact, three did take effect and one struck a house across the street from the corner.

What he says in connection with the case he tells without hesitancy, but when a certain point is reached he pauses, passes it by quickly and no amount of questioning can get him to go into detail.

"It is a mistake," he said, "that I looked through the window in the Thompson house. I stood outside for some time waiting for my wife, but I never went to the window. At that time I had no intention of killing her and as we walked up the street my mind was still free from murder. Just as we reached the corner she told me something; something that no man will know of his wife and let her live."

"And that was?" asked the reporter.

"That I will not tell. It was a family affair and I killed her."

IN THE COURT.

When brought into the court this morning for arraignment Hill's appearance contrasted strongly with that of his fellow prisoners. His clothes were of a black material, neat and well fitting. His linen was clean and his cravat neatly arranged. He wore a black derby hat until the judge entered the room and when he removed it showed that his hair was neatly brushed. In appearance he would be pronounced good looking. His eyes, though grey, are pleasant and his hair is black. He is of medium height and just fleshy enough to look good natured.

During the arraignment he displayed the same stoicism that has marked him throughout. He said that his name is Benjamin L. Hill and the clerk read the complaint charging him with murder, sworn to by Detective Holland. The count instructed him of his right to an attorney and he said that he had engaged Tom M. Bradley to represent him. Mr. Bradley asked that the case go over until after the coroner's inquest and the court put the matter off until tomorrow to be set.

THE TRAGIC TALE.

The story of the shooting is briefly told. Hill arrived from Oregon Saturday morning and during the day saw his wife. A few minutes before 7 o'clock Mrs. Hill left the house of Mrs. J. H. Thompson at 1369 Eleventh street, with whom she had been stopping, and met her husband on the outside. Together they walked along Eleventh street east to Kirkham and up the western side of Kirkham toward Twelfth street. Just as they reached the corner she told him something, evidently of herself, and he drew his revolver and fired. Three shots took effect and she fell mortally wounded. Before a physician could be summoned she was dead.

THE FIRST LINK.

The story of their lives since marriage has been one of financial disappointments. Hill was a baseball player in Oakland, but in 1890 went to Suisun to play with the team there. When the season ended the townsmen disliked to part with Hill, for he had made himself popular and then secured him a position as a barkeeper in the employ of a man named Robbins. It was in Suisun that he met Miss Agnes Nelson, then 17 years of age. They loved and were married in 1891.

Hill bought a saloon and for a time things looked bright. But times got hard and last March he sold his business and came to Oakland with his wife and baby. He secured a position with the railroad company as a brakeman on a freight train and the family lived at 1024 Willow. For some reason Hill gave up his position last November and went to Portland. He was unable to secure employment there and could send no money to his wife. She could not meet her rent and at the request of the owner of the property she moved. Since then she had been stopping with Mrs. Thompson.

All through their struggle with penury it seems that his love for her never failed and his fondness was the talk of the neighbors. Every one speaks of him as a kind, considerate husband. She is well spoken of, too, and from what Mrs. Thompson says was very fond of her husband.

"Every letter she would get from him," says Mrs. Thompson, "would make her cry bitterly and those that she has shown me bore no reproach or complaint regarding her."

As to the wife's acquaintance with other men, stories conflict. Mrs. Thompson says that during the time Mrs. Hill lived with her she had but one male caller, and he was a man who had just left her husband in Portland and came for the purpose of telling her about him. She seldom went out evenings and when she did she returned early.

Dr. Hamlin held an autopsy yesterday morning. He discovered that one of the bullets had entered the right jaw, passed through the neck and was extracted on the right side of the neck. The other entered just above the right ear and ruptured the lateral sinus. This last wound was fatal, the first not necessarily so.

A further fact, also brought about by the autopsy was that Mrs. Hill was soon to become a mother. There is some talk of filing two charges of murder against Hill, but owing to the conflict of opinions it is hardly probable that more than one charge will be laid.

Mrs. Hill's relations consist of a mother, who is blind and a sister, Mrs. Mamie Paul, the wife of George Paul. They all live in Suisun. Mrs. Paul is prostrated by the news of her sister's death. They were very fond of each other and Mrs. Paul contributed largely towards Mrs. Hill's support.

Mr. Paul is the only one of the family in Oakland. He will remain here until after the inquest this evening, and in the morning will leave for home, taking with him the remains of the murdered girl.

Among the effects of the wife were a number of letters, but the two latest which passed between herself and husband will be sufficient to show the feeling existing between them. The letters are as follows:

Oakland, January 1, 1896.

My Dear, Dearest Husband: I know you think me very ungrateful, but if you only knew what trouble I have had you would not say one word. Mrs. Mahoney never said one word to me only she hired Lawyer Cook of San Francisco and I had to move inside of three days. I got the notice on Thursday afternoon at 7 o'clock and had to be all out by Saturday night, and it was too much work and made me sick, and I have a terrible cold. I have been stopping at Mrs. Thompson's. She has been very kind to me. Talk about Christmas! Mine was just as bad as yours. I cried nearly all day and I have cried so much of late that I am nearly dead with the headache. Blazer keeps well.

No, I have not been home since you left here, and Mamie has been real sick. She is not able to go out at all, but ma is just the same.

Ben, go wherever in this wide world you can and get work so as to support the baby and I, or you will drive me from you entirely, as I must not have such a worry to support the boy and myself, and have a husband to keep me board and tied.

I am willing to be just as true to you as a baby from heaven, but all I ask is a good, proper living and my own kind husband again. And, Ben, you can surely get work if you hunt around and be willing to do anything you first get hold of. You know you can't expect to have me write and do as I would if you don't try and support us.

O, Ben, I long to see you and be as we was once. I have stored all the furniture up town, and if I had money I would share it with you, but I have not, so I can't. I got a box from Edith and she sent me a box with handkerchiefs in a pretty hair pin box, and Blazer a rubber ball and two books, and you a tie with a pretty little pin in it. I will send it.

And Blazer got a book and a painted bib and a pretty dress and a dollar from home and Lottie gave him a cane with sleigh bells on it and a train of cars and two horses to pull it. That is all we got.

Well, I must close, with a happy New Year to you from us both and a kiss and a hug to you. I am your loving wife and baby,

AGNES AND BLAZER.

Address 1078 Lincoln street until I can give you mine, but any place and all places now.

251 Stark street, Portland, Or., January 5, 1896.—My Darling Wife—Dear Agnes: Your very welcome letter of the 1st received all O. K., and very glad I was indeed to once more have a few lines from you. I was sorry to hear you were not well but hope you are all right by this time. So Miss Mahoney put you out. Well I expected it, didn't you? but not on such short notice. What did Freedman say? I have not been able to get anything to do yet, except a little canvassing, but I can't make anything at that. I had a letter from Jim. He wants me to come there; says I can live with him until I find work, but I don't just like that country—too cold in winter. I think I shall go to Southern California somewhere about Los Angeles, as soon as I can get a little ahead, and if I ever get in California again I will be careful that nothing drives me away again. I will get work just as soon as I can and I will do the best I can to send you some money, but to tell the truth I think you will be better off if you just quit me entirely, or I will drive you from me just as you said, for I seem to bring bad luck to everybody that has anything to do with me, as well as to give myself bad luck. I honestly tried to do my best last summer, but just see how I came out. But if I had not lost that $50, perhaps it would have been all right. Everything seems to be against me and I don't seem to be any good, nor be able to supply my wife and child like a man should. I don't think I deserve to have a wife, and so I say for your own good, the sooner you leave a man like me the sooner you will get a little pleasure in this world, for I truly believe that if you had a man who would treat you half way as a man should that you would be a true, good wife for you have it in you to make some man the best wife that ever a man had.

You are young yet and have had experience enough in the past four years to learn to pick out a husband and also how a wife should treat a husband as well as how to take care of yourself.

My life is a miserable failure. I used to think that there was some good in me but don't any more. I don't seem to have one spark of a man about me, but you can't get blood out of a turnip, neither can you make a man of a —— fool like I am. My one dream of happiness has always been to have a little home with a loving wife and baby. I had all these but I didn't appreciate them. I threw them away and I have just come to realize that I am not fit to have a wife nor home, nor even friends, and I believe that God is punishing me as I deserve. How true those words, "Be sure your sin will find you out." Mine has most surely found me out, but I shall try and bear my punishment and nevermore plan nor thing of ishment and nevermore plan or think of

So don't consider yourself as bound and tied by a husband. As I said, I will do my best to help support you and the boy, but you know how I have supported you in the past, and that is all you have to judge the future by. Don't throw your whole life away on a miserable, good-for-nothing wretch like I am. Believe me, I will never bother any more than perhaps I may want to see the boy sometimes. It would be better if the boy never knew me or anything of me, for he would only be ashamed of such a father when he gets older. I am only a hindrance to your happiness, so I make these suggestions that you are better off without me around you, that as soon as you please you can get a separation from me or not, just as you like about that. I don't care for I shall never force myself upon another woman, nor have anything to do with married life again. But with you it is different. You are young and can get some man that is a good man, and you will enjoy a good home and a kind husband all the more for the terrible life I have led you.

God gave me a good pure girl for wife and prospects to be happy all my life. It is a shame that you have been punished for my sins, but you shall not be any more if I have to tear my heart out. God bless you my wife, for you are yet mine, and my boy—he will always be mine, although he may never know it. Nothing can ever make him anyone's but "Pop's boy."

Now, Agnes, I write this as I believe for your own good, not that I want to get away from you, for I shall always love you, and because I do love you I want to see you happy and enjoy life. I would to God that I could make you happy as your husband, but that has proved a failure. Now, just look at this right. Don't say I am doing this just to get rid of you, for I am not. I shall do my best to get work and send you money, but jobs are a very scarce article up here. I guess I will be able to get something soon though, at least I hope so. If I don't I shall have to move.

I sincerely hope that you are well and have gotten over your cold and headache. It must be a terrible job for you to move so soon, but Agnes, I only pray that your days of unhappiness are about over and that your future life will be sunshine. But Agnes, let me tell you this: Don't forget to pray to God that he will give you strength to overcome temptation for there is no happiness only in living a good life, and please say a prayer for me. Does Blazer talk much yet? Now please write a good long letter as soon as you get this, but you need not mention what I have written to me. With all my love and many hugs to you and Blazer, I am your loving husband, BEN HILL.

P. S.—I wish I had you and Blazer's picture taken together. Can't you get me one? Please, if you can.

A MORNING MURDER.

Councilman Heitmann Uses a Shotgun With Deadly Effect.

Councilman Heitmann has dyed his hands in innocent blood, not human blood, but canine. He turned bloodthirsty this morning when his little son Billy Jr., came home with a badly lacerated leg which had been inflicted by a ferocious bull dog kept by a family at Fourth and Brush streets.

The little fellow attends the Grove school and was attacked by the dog when on his way to that institution. The dog sprang for the boy's throat, but he warded the animal off with his umbrella. When Heitmann Sr. heard of the occurrence he loaded the family blunderbuss and took a walk toward the corner himself. The canine saw him coming and was about to give him a warm reception when the Councilman put an end to hostilities with two charges of bird shot.

There have been many complaints about the same dog. It frequently chased the children on their way to school, and with his little gun Heitmann has rendered the community a kindly service.

AN A. P. A. MEETING.

Consideration of the Candidates for Chief Lawton's Place.

A meeting of members of the A. P. A. was held on Saturday evening at the office of Attorney Aldrich for the purpose of considering the applications for fire chief. Candidate William Fair was present and agreed to conform with the obligations of the association. Fire Warden Murdoch was also on hand. He announced that he is no longer a candidate for principal honors but that he would like to retain his present place.

Those at the meeting were Charles Gunn, Murray Laidlaw, Dr. Thos Carpenter, C. T. Johns, Dr. John Fearn, H. S. Aldrich, John Sands, Dr. Fall, Chas. Fawcett, F. M. Phelps, Ed. Lawrence, Poundmaster Weitzel, E. J. Holland, and Mr. Miller, the brother of the present street superintendent.

It is claimed today that the presidents of the A. P. A. councils state that the session was not authorized by their organization.

NO TRACE OF DE AYALA.

It Is Impossible to Settle Any Bills Against the Estate.

Attorney Mortimer Smith Has a Claim That He Wants Paid.

Attorney Mortimer Smith has a $500 claim in his pocket against the estate of Encarnacion De Ayala, and he is looking for Manuel De Ayala, the executor of the estate, who is said to have disappeared. The affairs of the estate have been in the Probate court for some years and they are a long way now from final settlement.

Within the past two or three weeks another creditor of the estate has been pressing matters closely and the result was a settlement of Thomas Moran's $1,000 note, which has been in process of liquidation for a long time past.

Today Attorney Smith sought to have a claim of his client, L. Dresco, put in shape for settlement, but he has been unable to find executor De Ayala and inquiry made by the Attorney develops that the executor cannot be located.

When De Ayala's wife died Major J. E. McElrath was named as attorney for the executor. Before he resigned his services were embodied in a claim for $500 against the estate subsequently the bill was signed by McElrath to L. Dresco and now the assignee is looking to the estate for payment of the bill.

The claim was placed in the hands of Smith months ago and was duly filed but no payment has been made to date.

Interest in the matter was revived some days ago through the sale of some of the realty. The confirmation of the sale was delayed, because Attorney Shaw, who represented Moran, informed the court that De Ayala had been using some of the funds of the estate without warrant. On that statement a continuance was granted. When the matter was before the court a second Shaw consented to the confirmation on the showing that his client would be paid. The evidence that the executor was in a position to liquidate that claim led Smith to resurrect his bill. But he was less fortunate as De Ayala, for whom he has been searching, seems to have disappeared after settling with Shaw.

Smith says the estate, which was appraised at a valuation of $15,000, is beholden for the claim, but he fears there will be considerable difficulty in collecting it, if De Ayala does not appear again.

A STEAMER STRANDED.

The James Woodall Is Full of Water and the Crew All Safe.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CAPE HENRY, Va., Jan. 13.—The steamer reported ashore last night at New Inlet, N. C., proves to be the American steamer James Woodall, with a cargo of sugar and molasses, from New Orleans for Baltimore.

The vessel is now full of water.

The crew of two men were saved by life savers.

The Pullman Case.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 13.—Judge Butler in the United States Circuit Court today rendered a decision in the case of the Central Transportation Company against the Pullman Palace Car Company, dismissing the exceptions of the latter to awarding $2,552,000 to the Central Company.

The Central Transportation Company was absorbed by the Pullman Company in 1885, and suit was instituted to recover payments to the amount of over two millions alleged to be due.

The Stock Market.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—The stock market opened active with liberal fractional gains throughout the list. The strength in the market was attributed to more favorable political news from abroad. After 10:15 the market was quiet and featureless.

Silver was 66¾c, and lead $2.90.

A Correspondent Arrested.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HAVANA, Jan. 13.—Charles Salomon, a correspondent of a New York newspaper, who arrived here on the steamer Seneca, was detained by the police, charged, it is believed, with having compromising letters in his possession.

MANY COUNTY CARES

The Supervisors Confronted With a Variety of Work.

APPEALS BY THE DESTITUTE.

Road Matters, Saloon Licenses and Some Election Business.

BERKELEY HEARD FROM.

Endeavor to Get the Blind Indigents From the Infirmary.

The Board of Supervisors met this morning, all the members being present.

After Clerk Jordan had read the minutes of last meeting, applications for relief were read as follows: George Dear of Harrison street, referred to Supervisor Church. Carl, the blind man who sells pencils at the Broadway depot, referred to hospital committee; Charles Ferber of Alameda, referred to Supervisor Church; Mrs Mary Dixon, referred to Supervisor Talcott; A. G. Dahl, referred to Supervisor Johnston; Mrs. Fitch, referred to Supervisor Pelouze; Mary A. Baroteau, referred to Supervisor Church; Mrs. M. H. Berry of Second avenue, referred to Supervisor Talcott.

LIQUOR LICENSES.

Applications for liquor licenses were made by James Cassey, at Second and Apgar streets; Chris Peterson, to sell liquors at San Lorenzo, and J. H. Wurtys, to sell liquor at the stockyards.

Deputy County Jailor Lane sent in an application asking for four mattresses and a pair of woman's shoes.

Coroner Baldwin reported having held sixteen inquests.

BERKELEY'S ELECTION LAWS.

President Richardson of the Berkeley Board of Trustees asked the board to establish the county election precinct lines in Berkeley in accordance with the limits already established there under the new charter. The matter was referred to the special committee on the printing of the Great Register, comprising the District Attorney, County Clerk, the County Surveyor and Supervisors Church and Pelouze.

Mr. Richards asked in behalf of Berkeley that the making of the Great Register be put off until after February 15th, because the making of it now would entail a hardship on Berkeley, which he said has its schools overcrowded, and in other ways must expend a great deal of money to supply needed accommodations.

Supervisor Church said that if the opinion of the District Attorney is to the effect that the County Clerk must make up the Great Register, it would not be advisable to put it off so long that the Clerk would not have time in which to perform the work.

A resolution was then adopted authorizing the County Surveyor to redistrict the county into voting precincts for election purposes.

A petition was received from L. Simonson, James Park, H. W. Whipple, A. Jones, M. W. Kelleran, William Allison, H. S. Lewis, Charles Critchelow and others of Elmhurst, M. S. Milane, Fruitvale; J. F. Barrachs and others of Fitchburg; D. Jackson of Mills Seminary, Manuel Stone of Moss tract, "to so reduce the rates lawful to be charged by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies for the use of water in the territory specified outside the corporate limits of the city of Oakland as will make them uniform with such lawful rates as were recently enacted to apply within the corporate limits of the city of Oakland."

The petition was referred to the ordinance and judiciary committee.

On motion of Supervisor Pelouze, Supervisor Church was appointed a committee to report to the committee of the whole the most reasonable figures that can be procured on office files.

On motion of Supervisor Church, the District Attorney was instructed to draft new pound and liquor ordinances, the present ones being defective.

The application of Mrs. Victoria Lopez for aid was denied. She has seven children, an able bodied husband, and resides in Alameda. The application was denied because Mr. Church said the husband ought to support the family.

The application of James Casey at West and Apgar streets, and James Dugan of Newark for permits to sell liquors, were referred to the judiciary committee.

The application of N. Bernadassi at Forty-second street and Telegraph avenue to sell liquors was granted.

The application for aid of Mrs. Sarah Cunningham, aged 75 years, resident of Pacific avenue, Alameda, was referred to Supervisor Church.

Officer J. Sharp was given permission to sojourn a few days at the county infirmary. In his case the word "Officer" forms the first name and is not a title. Sharp is 75 years of age, with unkempt hair and beard, and the general appearance of a man who is not only alone in the world, but has at the same time been tossed about without much regard to his feelings. He accepted the hospitality of the board with the remark that he was on his way to Mexico and would not tarry long here. He did not say how he was going to travel to the land of the Montezumas.

A resolution offered by Supervisor Johnston authorized the County Surveyor to survey the county road leading into Mission San Jose, to which claim is made by Juan Gallegos for the Palmdale Land Company.

A resolution was adopted ordering the Clerk to post a notice of election at the polling place and three other places within the proposed Adeline Sanitary district, the election to determine whether or not such a district shall be established, to take place February 5th.

On motion of Supervisor Church, the Clerk was instructed to correspond with the directors of the Industrial Home for the Adult Blind at Temescal, with a view to having that institution take care of five blind indigents in the county infirmary. He said that as the State is supporting blind people it ought to take care of these at the infirmary.

Supervisor Johnston said that he would second the motion in a hearty manner. The blind indigents in question ought to be given a chance to learn how to make a living.

The motion was adopted.

The Clerk said the courts had instructed the board to select 400 citizens as trial jurors.

DIED.

MOORE—In this city, January 12, 1896, Annie, beloved wife of James Moore, and mother of Mable C. Moore, a native of the Isle of Man, aged 50 years, 5 months.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services TOMORROW, Tuesday, January 14, 1896, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., at her late residence, 1123 San Pablo avenue. Interment Mountain View cemetery.

ASKED TO ASSIST.

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ing election, or upon his own affidavit that it is lost, or out of his possession, which affidavit must state the place of his nativity and the time and place of his naturalization, together with his affidavit that he has resided in the United States for five years, and in this State for one year next preceding the time of application, and that he would be an elector of the county at the next preceding election; provided, however, if such naturalized citizen shall have been previously registered as a qualified elector in any of the counties or cities and counties in this State, his name must not be entered by the Clerk unless he provides a certificate of such registration issued by the party authorized by law to issue such certificate, which certificate shall be prima facie evidence of his naturalization.

"Fourth—If born in a foreign country, upon his affidavit that he became a citizen of the United States by virtue of the naturalizations of his father while he was residing in the United States and under the age of 21 years, and that he is or would be an elector of the county at the next succeeding election.

"Fifth—Upon the production and filing of a certified copy of the judgment of a Superior Court directing such entry to be made.

"Sixth—In other cases, upon the affidavit that he is or would be an elector of the county at the next succeeding election.

"Seventh—In every case the affidavit of the party must show all the facts required to be stated in the entry on the register, except the date and number of the entry."

THE ASSESSOR'S DUTIES.

Section 1098 of the Political Code provides: "That the Assessor of each county keep a roll of electors, on which, and upon like proof as is required for entries upon the Great Register, he must enroll the name of any elector of the county making application to him for that purpose."

Section 1099 of the Political Code provides: "That such enrollment must show the same facts as are required to be shown by the entry upon the Great Register."

Section 1101 of the Political Code provides, "That at the end of every month the assessor must return to the County Clerk a certified copy of all entries made upon his roll of electors during such month, and all affidavits made for the purpose of procuring such enrollment."

Section 1102 of the Political Code provides: "That upon the receipt of such return the Clerk must at once enter upon the Great Register the names contained and the statements made in such return."

It will thus be seen that the Clerk's duties are:

First—To keep a Great Register.

Second—To make entries thereon in accordance with the law above quoted upon such showing, and proof that would be sufficient to establish the facts necessary to be inserted in the Great Register and that it is not necessary for the Clerk to send to the voter to obtain a registration affidavit, but that the voter must apply to the Clerk, or the Assessor with such proof as may entitle the elector to have his name enrolled on the Great Register.

I am aware of the fact that heretofore the Assessor in this County has taken little part in the registration of the voters of the County, but that such is his duty is plain by a review of the above provisions of the law, and so the law seems to have been understood by the Supreme court, for in the case of Welch vs. Williams, supra, the court says, "By its provisions the Clerks and Assessors of the respective Counties are authorized to receive applications for registry," "and the names of such applicants as appeared to be entitled to vote were entered on the register as received by the Clerk or as returned from month to month by the Assessor."

I can see no good reason why the Assessor of the County should not keep the roll of electors as is provided for in section 1098 of the Political Code, and would suggest that such a course be followed in case of a new registration of the electors of the county, as it is evident from the fact that the force of men the Assessor now has in the field that it would be a great accommodation to the electors of the County, and relieve the office of the Clerk from the great inconvenient attendant upon such new registration of the voters of the County.

"The same proof is required to be shown to the Assessor before the names of the voters of the County can be entered upon the roll of the electors that is required to be shown to the Clerk, and the same entries must be made upon such roll of electors as is required to be made upon the Great Register, and it is evident that it would be a great saving of time to the electors and aid the Clerk very materially in getting out such new register.

Respectfully submitted,

CHAS. E. SNOOK,
District Attorney.

Dated January 13th, 1896.

HE MUST GO TO TRIAL.

Denial of the Motion to Quash the Indictments Against Whidden.

Judge Frick Settles the Case and Then Exceptions Are Presented.

The motions to quash the indictments against County Auditor Myron A. Whidden returned by the grand jury were denied this afternoon by Judge Frick.

The court held that there was no legal ground for the motions to quash so far as they related to the form of the indictments. The fact that the names of witnesses had not been placed upon the indictments was not a valid reason for declaring them void.

Judge Frick said that Whidden could not take advantage of the fact that he had not been present when the grand jury considered the testimony taken that referred to his case. Had it been shown, however, that Whidden had been been refused permission to be present there would have been a legal ground for quashing the indictment.

Whidden, however, waived his right to be represented before the grand jury when he did not seek such representation when the jury was considering his case.

Judge Frick said the evidence on the motions as touching the insanity of grand juror Heid indicated that Heid was not of sound mind, but he did not believe that would affect the legality of the grand jury's actions. The court had found one opinion where the Supreme Court had decided adversely on the proposition that the death of a grand juror invalidated the action of the body.

Judge Frick said the formal opinion in the matter would be filed on Friday morning. The case was continued until that time, when Whidden will be called upon to be arraigned and to plead.

The District Attorney's office has been represented in the matter by Deputy L. S. Church, and Whidden's counsel is George De Golia.

De Golia asked for time in which to file a bill of exceptions to the decision.

MAY BE A BREAK-AWAY.

Acme Clubmen Are Talking of Defying the Amateur Union.

The Trouble Over the Dues Has Taken a Remarkable Turn.

The members of the Acme Athletic Club are up in arms against their suspension from the Pacific Athletic League. They think that they have been unjustly treated. Their dues are paid up to July, 1895. Their dues for 1895-96 should have been paid in advance last July. But at the same time they are not legally delinquent until July, 1896. The Acme boys think therefore that the directors were a little hasty in their action.

President Humphreys is writing a letter now which will be received at the Acme Club tomorrow.

It will forbid the club holding its boxing and wrestling tournament tomorrow night unless the dues are paid. The participants will be declared professionals. But notwithstanding the club will hold its gentleman's night come what may. The club has decided to stand independent. This morning several of the directors were in favor of paying the dues. Others who formed the majority, said "No, let the whole affair be sifted to the bottom."

In standing independent and trying to establish a new league the club does not make a new move. For several years the proposition of a new league has been advocated. The Pacific Athletic League has been unsatisfactory. It is a branch of the American Athletic Union and under its control.

Consequently it took from three weeks to two months to enter a protest and get an answer as all communications had to be sent East to the American Athletic League. Aside from this the Pacific Association in itself has not been all that could be desired. For a time it was almost entirely under the Olympic Club. The directors showed partiality to that club. The present board is the best for some years and are making an earnest endeavor to suppress all taint of professionalism.

The present agitation brings the matter to a head. That a new league will be formed is possible and even probable. The Acme will be the first to withdraw. She will pay her dues up in full and formally sever all connection with the Coast League.

Superintendent Van Court of the Acme club spoke to Mr. Fitzgerald about his pet scheme. The Reliance president expressed himself as being in favor of the proposition. He, however, does not wish to withdraw from the American Athletic Union, however. He has promised to give the matter careful consideration. As the matter now stands a new coast athletic society will be formed seemingly without a doubt. It should be strong enough to force recognition from the Eastern Athletes. This it will endeavor to do. If, however, she should fail in this an independent athletic league will be formed on the Coast.

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Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Mary S. Scofield, deceased, and for the issuance to H. S. Haseltine of letters of administration with the will annexed has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 27th day of January, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 1 of said Court at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same, and show cause if any they have why said petition should not be granted.

Dated, January 13, 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By J. CAL EWING, Deputy Clerk.

Indorsed, filed January 13, 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By J. CAL EWING, Deputy Clerk.

W. G. Witter, attorney for petitioner, Mills building, San Francisco, Cal.

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FLATS TO RENT.

FLAT—Three large, sunny, nicely furnished rooms for housekeeping; closets; bath; adults; references; rent $25. 615 15th st., near Grove.

HOUSES TO RENT.

WANTED—To rent; furnished cottage of four or five rooms, in good locality; rent not to exceed $8 or $10. Address C. T., box 3, this office.

TO LET—Furnished, cottage 5 rooms, bath; also gas; terms reasonable. Please apply at 817 21 st., near West st.

A LITTLE house of two rooms all furnished for housekeeping. Call at 813 Fallon st., Oak st. station.

A LADY owning her own house in a fine and convenient locality would rent a large, handsomely furnished, sunny front room, with or without board. All conveniences. Address X. Y. Z., box 2, Tribune.

TO LET—Fine house of 12 rooms, all modern conveniences. 973 5th av.; key next door, cor. house. Rent reasonable.

FOR RENT—Five acres in Fruitvale, house of 4 rooms, stable, good well and pump, two acres orchard bearing, for sale, 2 dozen thoroughbred brown Leghorns, 1 Medallion No. 7 range in perfect order. L. Highman, 810 E. 15th st.

TO LEASE—On account of departure, fine 9 room cottage, stable and beautiful 1 acre garden rent reasonable to right party. Apply on premises. Thomas, East 29th st. and 23d av.

TO LET—House of 9 rooms including bath, 515 8th st., near Washington. Apply at office of Oakland Journal, cor 7th and Webster sts.

$12 A MONTH for furnished cottage, near two lines of cars; stable, chicken yard, flowers; everything complete, or will sell on easy terms. Inquire F. Springsteen, 1055 Broadway, room 1.

LOVE in a cottage. You can take your pick of a hundred cottages by reading Tribune Classified.

ROOMS AND BOARDING.

A WIDOW lady with one child would like one or two children to board; receive a mother's care. Address L. G., box 1, Tribune.

LA CLEDE HOTEL—Sunny offices and furnished rooms with or without board, to let, single or en suite, at reasonable rates; centrally located to both trains and street railways. Apply 1116 Broadway st., Oakland.

ROOM and board can be had in private boarding house, pleasant sunny rooms, heated by furnace. References, 1406 Alice st.

PLEASANT home, near business center; sunny rooms, pleasant grounds and excellent table. 155 E. 12th st., cor. 3d av.

HALLS TO LET.

GRAND Army Hall to let one night a week. Apply Chas. Jurgens, 1116 Bdwy.

STORES TO LET.

FINE business corner, for grocery or variety store; good chance; low rent; call at Adeline and 34th st. C. E. Boman, Oakland.

CLAIRVOYANTS.

MRS. JEPSON tells past, present and the future; ladies 25c; gentlemen 50c; 775 22d st., bet. West and Brush sts., Oakland.

MADAME NELSON reads head and palm, also cards, tells past, present, future; consultation on all affairs; price 50 cents; several hundred recommendations; 906 Washington, cor. 8th st.

MRS. HENDEE ROGERS—Psychometrist. Test and healing medium. Sittings daily. Cir. Mon., Fr. eve's. 462 9th st., Henry House.

MRS. MAY—Genuine clairvoyant; born with a veil; a trustworthy friend to persons in danger or misfortune anxious to see their way out of trouble; not to be classed with untruthful pretenders and charlatans; fees reasonable; advice on business matters a specialty; letters answered. 843 Franklin.

DENTISTS.

J. M. DUNN, D. D. S., 1155 Broadway, rooms 27, 28, 29. Office hours 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.

FURNITURE FOR SALE.

FANCY ROCKERS—All prices and grades, tables, chairs and fancy goods for presents; come and see us. H. Schellhaas, 408 11th st.

CITY REAL ESTATE IMPROVED.

IN SAN FRANCISCO—3 fine lots and house, rents $5 price $650; first applicant has the preference. Address box 2242, San Francisco.

FOR SALE—At a sacrifice, a 6 room modern cottage with 2 attic rooms; lot 37½x190 on east side of Harrison near the corner of 5th st., Oakland. Apply to Albert Schmidt, 620 E. 12th st., E. O.

PIANO TUNERS.

R. F. HORNING for fourteen years with A. Bruenn, the only piano maker in Oakland; repairing a specialty. 1069 Franklin bet. 11th and 12th sts.

REAL ESTATE.

LAYMANCE REAL ESTATE & INVESTMENT CO.,
NO. 466 8TH ST., OAKLAND, CAL.

$6000—Completely furnished, price reduced from $8500; 2 story, 9 rooms and bath, lot 50x125; Myrtle st., near 10th; special bargain. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$3100—2 story, 8 room house, just completed; lot 75x122; very cheap place and extraordinary easy terms. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$500 CASH, $4250—Balance monthly; just completed; 8 room residence; lot 31x115; 12th st., local cars, 5 blocks of local. A complete home. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st. 100A

$4500—Lovely new 10 room colonial residence just completed, replete with every modern convenience; within 7 blocks of 14th and Broadway; exceptional location terms to good parties $500 cash; see at once. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$4000—New modern residence 8 rooms and bath, 5 minutes walk of 14th and Broadway; choicely located; terms only $500 cash. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$750—A bargain, cottage of 4 rooms, high basement and stable; lot 59x122; 2 blocks of Fruitvale av. cars; price reduced from $1250; terms to good party. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$3000—Make offer; estate must be closed; 6 room cottage with lot 41x122 choicely located at Center st. station. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Company, 466 8th st. 100A

$20 CASH—$7.50 per month, buys a choice lot 25x153; price $300; street sewered and within 3 blocks of Fruitvale station. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

Properties shown and information cheerfully given.
Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

A. J. SNYDER & CO.
REAL ESTATE BROKERS,
467 NINTH STREET.

FOR RENT, $20—House of 6 rooms and bath on corner of 21st and West sts.

FOR RENT, $18—On north side of 24th st. east of San Pablo av.; owner will repair and put same in good condition.

$5000 TO LOAN—In terms of $500 to $1000 on improved suburban real estate or city property.

WM. P. TODD,
OAKLAND HOMES. SUBURBAN HOMES.
1008 BROADWAY.

TODD'S DECEMBER BARGAINS.

$2000—Worth $3000; cottage of 6 rooms and bath; large lot; within 10 minutes' walk of City Hall; sunny side street.

$4500—Worth $6000; house of 7 rooms and bath and all modern conveniences; lot 46x100 feet; five minutes walk of City Hall; sunny side street; fine location.

$1400—Cottage of 4 rooms and bath; corner lot; a bargain.
WM. P. TODD, 1008 Broadway.

THE LARGEST BARGAIN offered in four years.

300x100—Within 1 minute's walk of electric road and 7 minutes' walk of local train; ½ block of land; $2500 will buy it; only $1670 cash; balance can remain on mortgage; it's a snap!

If you want to know about it address,
ROBERT A. JACKSON,
Real Estate, Loans, Notary Public,
466 Tenth street.

MINING AND REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE.
ROOM 15, 855 BROADWAY.

EXCHANGES made for any kind of property.
GOLD GRAVEL MINE wanted in exchange for clear land, house or lots.
LOAN WANTED on clear land or lots.
EXCHANGE 80 acres of rich valley land for house, lots of gold gravel claim; will assume mortgage.
PIANO wanted in exchange for land or lots.

MUSICAL.

PROFESSIONAL teacher of piano; organ and singing; two lessons a week at $5 per month; either one; scholar of Prof. Mueller. Inquire at 274 9th st.

PROF. LOUIS EISENBACH—Graduate of Vienna Conservatory. Piano-forte, voice culture and opera. Brunswick Hotel, 9th and Washington.

MARION CLARK—Banjo, violin and mandolin teacher; banjo taught by Clark's simplified method; banjos reheaded and violin bows rehaired; all kinds of musical instruments repaired; music furnished for dancing. 1055 Broadway.

CITY REAL ESTATE UNIMPROVED.

"WHERE ARE YOU GOING
my pretty maid?"
"I'm going to the Fruitvale
Terminal Tract, sir,"
she said, (to buy a lot).
Lots $100 up; very easy terms. D. Pratt, Fruitvale station. The McCarthy Co., San Francisco.

SEARCHERS OF RECORDS

DURAY SMITH—Searcher of records and conveyancer, Alameda county. Office 495 9th st., bet. Broadway and Washington sts., Oakland.

REAL ESTATE AGENTS.

GEO. B. M. GRAY—Real estate broker; houses rented and built. 463 9th st.; telephone No. 221

F. C. WATSON—Real estate broker, 463 9th st.

A. J. SNYDER & CO.—Real estate, houses built for sale on installment plan and to rent. 467 9th st.

ALDEN & GARFIELD—Money brokers; houses built on the installment plan; tel. 319. 902 Broadway.

CHEAP land; illustrated book for 2c.; M. I. Griffin, Cottonwood, Shasta Co., Cal.

H. B. PINNEY—Lots $150, $1 a week. 902 Broadway.

W. L. PRATHER—Real estate, notary public, insurance broker. 478 10th st.

JAMES S. NAISMITH—Real estate broker and notary public. Tel. 478. 463 9th st.

J. W. MOSS—Real estate, notary public; money to loan. 959 Broadway bet. 9th and 10th sts.

FOR EXCHANGE.

WANTED—To exchange a good double seated buggy for a good bicycle. Inquire B. P. Lausten, 869 Broadway.

WANTED—To trade piano for carpenter work. Clark Wise & Co's, 1108 Bdwy.

CIVIL ENGINEERS.

T. W. MORGAN and Ross Morgan, civil engineers, room 57, Macdonough block, Oakland; room 150, Crocker building, San Francisco.

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY to loan in sums to suit on property; 8 per cent. G. G. Baker, 962 Bdy.

OAKLAND COLLATERAL Loan Co., 925 Broadway, near 9th st.; liberal advances on diamonds, watches, jewelry, silverware, pianos, guns.

MONEY TO LOAN in sums to suit at reasonable rates. Prime bargains in real estate; houses to rent. D. F. McDonald & Co., No. 463 9th st.

LEGAL.

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes for th Year 1895.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1895.

To all tax payers in the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, tax collector of the County of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said County of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California.

Notice is herby given that the assessment book for State and County taxes for the year 1895 on all property within the County of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said County of Alameda, in the City of Oaklang, County of Alameda, State of California, every day (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the first Monday in October, 1895, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said County of Alameda will be due and payable on the

First Monday in October, in the Year 1895,

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda County, situated in the City of Oakland, in said county, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in November, 1895,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1896, five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda county for the year 1895, will be payable to the undersigned, tax collector of said Alameda county, as aforesaid, at the office of the tax collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1896, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April, 1896,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the first Monday in October, 1895, all the taxes whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

First Monday in October, 1895,

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes both first and second installments will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 12th day of October, 1895.

JAMES B. BARBER,
Tax collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

SCHOOL BONDS FOR SALE.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, California, made October 28th, 1895, sealed proposals will be received at the office of the treasurer of said county at the Hall of Records of said county, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, until 12 o'clock noon, on the 1st day of February, 1896, for the purchase of three bonds of the denomination of Five Hundred Dollars each of Newark School District of Alameda County; at which said time said proposals will be opened and said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidder for cash in United States gold coin, subject to the provisions hereinafter set forth. Said bonds were issued by said Board of Supervisors under and in accordance with the provisions of Section 1880 to 1888, both inclusive, of the Political Code, and in conformity with an order of the Board of Supervisors of said county passed October 28, 1895, and bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum from date until paid, interest payable on the first day of February of each year, out of and from the Building Fund of said Newark School District upon presentation and surrender to the treasurer of said county of the interest coupons.

Said bonds are to be numbered consecutively one to three inclusive and are to mature as follows, to wit:

Bond numbered One, one year from date.

Bond numbered Two, two years from date.

Bond numbered Three, three years from date.

Bids will be received for one or any larger number of said bonds up to three. All bids must be equal in amount to the par value of the bonds bid for and accompanied by a certified check or cash deposit in the sum of at least 10 per cent. of the amount of the bid, payable to the Clerk of the Board of Trustees of Newark School District of Alameda County. The said check or deposit will be returned in case of rejection of the bid, and be forfeited to the Board of Trustees if the bidder neglects to pay for the bond or bonds he bids for within five days after notice of the acceptance of the bid.

Upon the opening of said proposals said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidders for cash in United States gold coin subject to the above provisions.

All bids or proposals are to be addressed to the "Board of Trustees, Newark School District, care O. M. Sanford, Treasurer of Alameda County," and endorsed "Proposals for Bonds."

F. FALK,
JULIUS WILDERMUTH,
C. G. HEALY, Clerk.
Trustees Newark School District, Alameda County, California.
Dated December 28, 1895.

Adjudication of Insolvency.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of D. M. Needham, insolvent debtor.

D. M. Needham having filed in this court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, by which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said D. M. Needham is hereby declared to be insolvent.

The sheriff of the County of Alameda is hereby directed to take possession of all the estate, real and personal of the said insolvent debtor, except such as may be by law exempt from execution and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep the same safely until the appointment of an assignee herein.

All persons are forbidden to pay any debts to the said insolvent debtor, or to deliver any property belonging to said insolvent debtor to him or to any person, firm or corporation or association for his use.

The said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this court, except as herein ordered.

It is further ordered that all the creditors of said debtor whose claims shall have been placed on file in the office of the Clerk of this court at least two days prior to the 17th day of January, 1896, be and appear before the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, in open court at the court room of said court, Department No. 3, in the County of Alameda, on the said 17th day of January, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, to prove their debts and choose an assignee of the estate of the said debtor.

It is further ordered that this order be published in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the County of Alameda, as often as the said newspaper is printed before the said day set for the meeting of creditors.

And it is further ordered that in the an assignee of the estate of said insolvent debtor be stayed.

Dated January 8, 1896.
JOHN ELLSWORTH,
Judge of the Superior Court.
Frederick C. Clift, attorney for petitioner, 453 Eighth street.
Endorsed, Filed January 8, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. H. Mason, Deputy Clerk.

LEGAL.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA.

Advertisement for Plans and Specifications.

Notice is hereby given that the regents of the University of California will receive at the office of the Secretary of the Board of Regents in South Hall, in Berkeley, Alameda County, on or before 12 o'clock M. of January 17th, 1896, plans and specifications in detail for three buildings to be erected in San Francisco, grouped together in one harmonious design on the site selected by said Regents for the use of the Affiliated Colleges and Departments conducted in San Francisco.

The amount appropriated to be expended for the erection of said buildings is $250,000; and $125,000 thereof is available for the 47th fiscal year and $125,000 thereof is available for the 48th fiscal year.

The sum of $500 will be awarded to the architect whose plans and specification may be adopted as a premium and full compensation therefor, provided that upon the adoption of such plans and specifications said architect execute and file with the Board of Regents of the University of California a good and sufficient bond with two sureties thereto in the penal sum of $5000 to be approved by the said Board, or its duly authorized agent therefor, conditioned that within 60 days from the date of said bond said architect will on presentment to him enter into a contract containing such provisions and conditions as said Board of Regents may require, and also conditioned that he will give such further bond to secure the faithful performance of said contract, with such securities as may be required of him in the event that said Board of Regents should within 60 days require said architect to enter into such contract to erect said buildings at the price named herein to be expended for the erection of said buildings.

This advertisement is made under and pursuant to an Act of the Legislature entitled "An Act to regulate the erection of Public Buildings and Structures" approved April 1st, 1872, (Stat. of 1871-2, p. 925) which Act is hereby referred to and made a part of this advertisement.

By authority of the Board of Regents.
Dated December 18, 1895.
J. H. C. BONTE,
Secretary of the Board of Regents.
Berkeley, December 18, 1895.

POSTPONEMENT.

All persons interested are hereby notified that the time for receiving said plans and specifications mentioned in the above advertisement is hereby postponed and extended until 12 o'clock M. of January 31, 1896.

And further, that all the information possessed by the committee as to the site of said buildings and the requirements of said affiliated colleges and other departments of the University, can be had by printed circular at the office of Regent Reinstein, No. 217 Sansome street, San Francisco, and at the office of the Secretary at Berkeley, California.

By direction of the Committee on Grounds and Buildings.
J. H. C. BONTE,
Secretary Board of Regents.
Dated Berkeley, December 28, 1895.

SUMMONS.

CLARA HATTIE FULLER, Somers, Conn.,
vs.
CHARLES A. FULLER, Oakland, Cal.

Order of notice.
State of Connecticut, County of Tolland, } ss.
Rockville, January 4th, A. D. 1896.

Upon the complaint of the said Clara Hattie Fuller, praying for reasons therein set forth for a divorce, now pending before the Superior Court in and for Tolland county, to be held on the first Tuesday of February, A. D. 1896.

It appearing to, and being found by, the subscribing authority, that the said defendant is residing in Oakland, State of California, and absent from this State.

Therefore ordered that notice of the pendency of said complaint be given by publishing this order in the Tribune, a daily newspaper printed in Oakland, California, and in three successive issues of said paper, commencing on or before the 20th day of January, A. D. 1896, and by depositing a copy of said complaint, citation and order of notice in the postoffice, postpaid at Rockville, Conn., directed to said defendant at Oakland, California, on or before the 10th day of January, A. D. 1896.

LYMAN TWINING TINGIER,
Clerk of the Superior Court for Tolland County.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of John Green, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of John Green deceased, and for the issuance to Anna Green of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court and that Monday, the 13th day of January, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, December 26, 1895.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
Mullany, Grant & Cushing, attorneys for petitioners, 101 Sutter street, San Francisco, California.

NOTICE OF SALE!

One heifer, the property of James H. Swift, pastured on the Hewston ranch, Alameda County, California, will be sold at the Hewston ranch ten days after date to pay pasturage and advertising charges on same.

S. E. HEWSTON.
Oakland, January 2, 1896.

DIVIDEND NOTICES.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

The Oakland Bank of Savings, Oakland, Cal.—For the six months ending December 31, 1895, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and one-tenth (4 1-10) per cent per annum, on all savings deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Thursday, January 2, 1896. Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of dividend as the principal, from January 1, 1896.
W. W. GARTHWAITE, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—MUTUAL SAVings Bank of San Francisco, 33 Post st.—For the half year ending December 31, 1895, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and one-fifth (4.20) per cent per annum on term deposits and three and one-half (3.50) per cent per annum on ordinary deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Thursday, Jan. 2, 1896.
GEORGE A. STORY, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—THE UNION Savings Bank, Oakland, California. A dividend has been declared to depositors for the six months ending December 31, 1895, at the rate of four and one-tenth (4 1-10) per cent per annum on all savings deposits, payable on and after January 2, 1895.
A. E. H. CRAMER, Cashier.

MEETING NOTICES.

ANNUAL MEETING NOTICE.

Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank of Oakland, California. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the corporation, No. 1102 Broadway, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, on Tuesday, the 14th day of January, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M.
By order of
EDSON F. ADAMS, President.
James C. McKee, Cashier.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The Oakland Bank of Savings, Oakland, Cal., December 23, 1895. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Oakland Bank of Savings will be held at the office of the corporation, corner of Broadway and Twelfth streets, Oakland, on Monday, January 13, 1896, at 3 o'clock P. M.
ISAAC L. REQUA, President.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE UNION SAVINGS BANK, Oakland, California.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Union Savings Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the banking house, southeast corner of Ninth and Broadway, on Tuesday, January 14, 1896, at 2 o'clock P. M.
A. E. H. CRAMER, Secretary.

ANNUAL MEETING STOCKHOLDERS, UNION NATIONAL BANK.

The twenty-first annual meeting of the stockholders of the Union National Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the corporation, northwest corner of Twelfth and Broadway streets, Oakland, on Tuesday, January 14, 1896, at 3 o'clock P. M.
C. E. PALMER, Cashier.
Dated December 14, 1895.

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AMUSEMENTS.

Macdonough—Aramenti Concert Co.
Oakland—"The Train Wreckers."
California—"Macbeth."
Baldwin—"Daughters of Eve."
Columbia—"The Lost Paradise."
Tivoli—"Ixion."
Morosco's—"The Fugitive."
Orpheum—High Class Vaudeville.
Alcazar—"My Precious Baby."

THE WEATHER.

FORECAST MADE AT SAN FRANCISCO FOR 36 HOURS ENDING 5 P. M. JANUARY 14, 1896.

Northern California—Cloudy weather and probably light rain tonight and Tuesday; stationary temperature; southeasterly winds.

Southern California—Cloudy weather and probably light rain along the coast tonight and Tuesday; stationary temperature; southeasterly winds.

SAN FRANCISCO AND VICINITY.

Continued cloudy, threatening weather and probably light rain tonight and Tuesday; stationary temperature; southeasterly winds. A. M'ADIE, Local Forecast Official.

MONDAY.....JAN. 13, 1896

Rev. Minot J. Savage, for many years the Unitarian pastor of Unity church in Boston, has been called to the pastorate of the Church of the Messiah in New York. Mr. Savage came to California about 33 years ago and served several small Congregational churches in this State. He is now regarded as one of the ablest Unitarian ministers in the country.

An Eastern paper notes that the great corn harvest of the Southern States is moving off to Europe. Six vessels bearing over half a million bushels sailed from New Orleans on Saturday, the largest carrying 175,719 bushels for Rotterdam and Hamburg, the greatest single cargo ever shipped from that city. Europe is taking an unusual amount of American corn this year and some of the southern ports are securing a full share of this form of commercial business. Consumers in European countries have begun to realize the value of corn as a food staple, and the opportunity of a foreign market will prove of inestimable value to growers.

In 1887 there were 12,983 miles of railroad constructed in this country, but in the year just closed only 1,782 miles were constructed. In railroad construction during 1895 Texas leads with 224 miles, while Pennsylvania is credited with only 86 miles of new line. It is evident, however, that the bottom has been reached and a moderate revival in railway building may be looked for this year. With cheap materials and plenty of labor that sort of enterprise is bound to assume new form, although the figures of the year 1887 are not likely to ever again be reached. The railroads of the United States aggregate over 180,000 miles and the rail mills are more largely occupied with the betterment of this mileage than in turning out a produce for new ventures.

The New York Sun learns from a Washington dispatch that the "Union Iron Works concern of San Francisco has intimated to the Navy Department that it would not refuse to build duplicates of the Kearsarge and Kentucky at the same cost, $2,250,000 each, with an addition of three per cent, for the expenses of transporting material to the Pacific coast.

"Three per cent, or $67,500 is a fair reckoning for this extra amount, Secretary Tracy having allowed $60,000 on the same ground in the case of the Oregon, now under construction by the San Francisco firm. Hence, if the report is correct, a very brief bill in Congress would secure us the starting at once of two more armorclads like those awarded to the Newport News yards."

A Boston correspondent of the Springfield Republican roasts Harvard College in this way: "It is the weakness of my alma mater, the old lady of Harvard, that she never could accept the doctrine of the wisdom of the multitude; her doctrine is that of the elder Pharisees: 'This people which knoweth not the law is cursed.' She ranged herself on the side of England in disputes that led to the war of 1812; she could not endure Madison nor Jackson, nor Garrison, nor Emerson, nor Phillips till they had the government overwhelmingly on their side; she kotowed to Webster when he kotowed to the oligarchy of the South; and she seems to be ranging herself again on the side of peaceful, righteous, civilized England which is just now verifying the good things her advocates are saying about her by sending a force of soldiers into the South African republic to provoke the most needless of wars."

Bugs Under the Stones.

It was Dr. Holmes who said substantially that reformers were like the man who turned over a flat stone in the field and then saw all the bugs break for cover. Governor Budd as a reformer has turned over several political stones and has had the fun of seeing the bugs scurrying for a place of refuge. He turned over a stone in the school book department and found strange things under it. Raymond, for instance, will have to break for a new cover. This he intimates he will do as soon as the money appropriated for his use is gone. Of course if the money would only hold out this leech would hold on indefinitely.

Governor Budd will have an opportunity to turn over several more political stones during the year. He will find bugs under nearly all of them. When a little more light is let in they will scurry for a new cover. The Governor seems to know just what stones to turn over, and has a pretty clear idea in advance of about how many bugs he will find under them

Engineer Hammond and the Dutch.

John Hays Hammond, a mining engineer who went from San Francisco to South Africa some time ago, has fallen into the hands of the Boers. This announcement has created some excitement in San Francisco, where Hammond is well known. It is not at all likely that any injustice will be done to the engineer. Hammond was the right hand man of Cecil Rhodes, the English premier of Cape Town, who has been forced out of office on a charge of complicity with Jameson in the raid on the Transvaal. Rhodes appears to have been the prime mover behind the scenes. Hammond, as his confidential man, must have known all about the plans that had been formed at Cape Town.

If these plans had been successful Rhodes would have been in high feather. There would not have been the least need of any forced retirement. Hammond was a member of a reform club in Johannesburg, which was in full sympathy with the plans that had been matured at Cape Town. All these ramifications have direct reference to a revolution in the Transvaal. The Boers have demanded among other things, damages for the raid and the expulsion of Rhodes from Africa. They have laid hands on an American who stood very near to Rhodes, and is supposed to have known all about his plans, even if he was not actually engaged in promoting them. The Jameson incursion having been a failure, the Boers are now looking for the mischiefmakers. They hold that it is enough that foreigners should be allowed to make fortunes in some of the richest mines in the world without undertaking to overturn the government that makes these large concessions. The Boers are not given to mining. They hold that foreigners who enter that country must conform to the laws and be content with the large fortunes they are making. Hammond himself had a very large fortune in sight at the time of his arrest. The Boers probably do not care a copper about his social position in San Francisco. If he has done no wrong his liberty is not greatly endangered. If in any way he has been mixed up with the Jameson raid, the inspiration of which is traced to Cecil Rhodes, Dutch justice will probably be about the same for Hammond as for any other foreigners who conspired against the government.

Of Certain Barricades to Temptation

Certain ministers have recently given notice that hereafter they will establish barricades against temptation. Whether this results from any conscious weakness or from mere prudency is a matter of little importance. But why give any such public notice at all. There are thousands of good men who go about their daily business without thinking it desirable to inform the world that they are going to erect breastworks against all carnal assaults. They manage to get along without any extraordinary trials to their virtue.

No doubt ministers have some extraordinary temptations. But they are supposed to have had a special training to resist them. Now the minister who supposes he is compromised by allowing women at reasonable hours to enter his study or office takes rather a low estimate of what goes to make a strong and sterling character. He can be accessible to all his congregation without compromising himself. Christ in the course of his brief ministry, accepted the hospitality of "publicans and sinners." He went into their houses, sat down at their tables, conversed with some who had led abandoned lives. The Pharisees criticized his conduct. But he justified it by saying he came not to call the righteous but sinners to repentance. He was not afraid of compromising his character. The lowest and meanest creature could find access to him.

Men of strong character walk in their integrity. There are none who may need their counsel more than those who are cast down and are without friends. Why should any of these deem it a wise precaution to erect new breast works or to double lock their study doors? Their mission calls them to meet temptation as strong men. But a public notice that any preachers are not strong enough to resist it, and must therefore build some extra clerical fences, sounds strangely in this year of grace.

Three European Powers in Accord.

When the German Emperor sent a message of congratulation to the President of the Transvaal that a conspiracy had been defeated, there was more than one sting in it for the English. Russia and France were in accord with Germany. It was in some sense the joint rebuke of three great European Powers. Nothing like that had occurred for more than a quarter of a century. There were no warlike threats on the part of these nations. There was simply an expression that they did not approve of the British policy of aggression in Africa.

This expression was interpreted as warlike by the British government. Here were three nations in full agreement that a warning note was called for by the situation. If England could conspire for the overthrow of the Dutch Republic, what other possession in Africa would be safe? Then England began to bluster and muster its squadrons on the sea. There is little prospect of a European war. Great Britain will not invite it, and there is little evidence that the other powers want it.

For a good thrust under the short ribs the Sun can do it with unction, as witness the following: The Hon. Hamlin Garland, a poet, novelist, reformer and literary man of the modern school, which believes that everything homely is beautiful and everything tedious interesting, is to begin work soon as an art missionary. After he has dashed off a few more masterpieces he will lecture on American art, and carry his lectures and a collection of American pictures into the big and the little cities of the West. He intends to cultivate the "art instinct" in his hearers, and possibly in himself. He must have a great deal of it, for he sedulously keeps it out of his writings. It is understood that American painters take kindly to his expedition into art and lecture, and will be glad to lend him pictures. They argue that folks out West will cheerfully buy all the American pictures they can get hold of rather than have Mr. Garland lecture to them and expand their art instincts.

Here is one of the many reasons why William Watson, the English poet, did not receive the laureate. He had not

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Betrayer of a people, know thy shame!
Summer hath passed, and autumn's threshing floor
Been winnowed; Winter at Armenia's door
Snarls like a wolf; and still the sword and flame
Sleep not; thou only sleepest; and the same
Cry unto Heaven ascends as heretofore:
And the red stream thou might'st have staunched, yet runs;
And o'er the earth there sounds no trumpet's tone
To shake the ignoble torpor of thy sons:
But with indifferent eyes they watch, and see
Hell's regent sitting yonder, propped by thee,
Abdul the Damned, on his infernal throne.

GOOD WORDS.

To maintain an opinion because it is thine, and not because it is true, is to prefer thyself above truth.—Venning.

He that resolves upon any great and good end has by that very resolution sealed the chief barrier to it.—Tyron Edwards.

We cannot too often think there is a never-sleeping eye, which reads the heart, and registers our thoughts.—Bacon.

I argue not against heaven's hand or will, nor bate a jot of heart or hope, but still bear up, and steer right onward.—Milton.

Riches without charity are worth nothing. They are a blessing only to him who makes them a blessing to others.—Fielding.

The intellect of man sits visibly enthroned upon his forehead and in his eye, and the heart of man is written upon his countenance.—Longfellow.

Our own opinion of ourselves should be lower than that formed by others, for we have a better chance at our imperfections.—Thomas a Kempis.

Forever from the hand that takes one blessing from us, others fall; and soon or late, our Father makes his perfect recompense to all.—Whittier.

It is the old lesson—a worthy purpose, patient energy for its accomplishment, a resoluteness undaunted by difficulties, and then success.—W. M. Punshon.

We should be careful to deserve a good reputation by doing well; and when that care is once taken, not to be overanxious about the success.—Rochester.

Revolutions are not made, they come. A revolution is as natural a growth as an oak. It comes out of the past. Its foundations are laid far back.—Wendell Phillips.

The mind is found most acute and most uneasy in the morning. Uneasiness, is indeed, a species of sagacity—a passive sagacity. Fools are never uneasy.—Goethe.

Names for Her Guests.

A well-known Louisville girl whose brains have won for her the reputation of being one of the most brilliant women in the city, held a book party recently at her house and the names she gave some of her acquaintances were so excellent that I feel it my duty to give the public the benefit of them. My consideration for the people named will not allow me to give their right names, but you can draw your own conclusions and I dare say that the right people will be spotted in more than one instance. "Great Expectations" is the pseudonym which has been given to a young lady who believes that she will eventually win the heart and hand of a man of birth and fortune. Unfortunately, she has not yet met this man. "The Sign of the Lyre" is the name that has been given to a well known matron, for what reason I can only guess. Several well known spinsters have been dubbed "Plain Tales From the Hills." These ladies—or girls, as they prefer to be called—are just chuck full of stories which have become threadbare from constant telling.—Louisville, Ky., Post.

Kindness Misapplied.

A certain woman, with a small income and a large heart, has a family of impecunious cousins—mostly girls of the type that cannot earn their own living, and let themselves helplessly down upon the nearest available benefactor. She worried over them last winter considerably, because she was sure the necessities of life were running low in their little house, and she finally gave up her Christmas presents to her own family and sent the cousins a check instead. Two weeks later she met two of the girls at a tea—they always go to everything—and to her amazement each wore a handsome gold buckle at her waist. "Dear Cousin Jane," one of them said, effusively, "we were so grateful for your gift! We have wanted buckles for a year, and now we have gotten them through your kindness."—Harper's Bazar.

A MENU FOR TOMORROW.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 14TH.

BREAKFAST
Fruit
Farina — Sugar and Cream
Broiled Chops — Egg Omelet
Buckwheat Cakes — Coffee

LUNCH
Grilled Oysters in chafing dish
Cold Slaw — Pickles
Baked Apples — Wafers
Tea

DINNER
Chicken Soup from Bones
Veal Cutlets — Tomato Sauce
Sheet Potatoes — Lima Beans
Fruit Salad
Cornstarch Pudding
Wafers — Cheese
Coffee

Dimensions of the Grab

Mr. John Bach McMaster, the historian, in an exposition of the Monroe doctrine, contributed to the New York Times of yesterday, pointed out the fact that Great Britain was trying to exercise "squatter sovereignty" in Venezuela, not over 30,000 square miles, as has been stated, but 109,000 square miles—an area which, he says, "is exceeded by no States in the Union save Texas, California and Montana; an area ninety times as large as Rhode Island, fifty times as large as Delaware, thirteen times as large as Massachusetts, and 10,000 square miles larger than the six New England States." Yet Mr. Depew rushed into print a week or more ago with the statement that he had been offered the whole tract for $25,000.—Philadelphia Record.

The first recorded case in which a woman availed herself of the prerogative which leap year grants to "the sex" was that of Miss Jane Metcalf, a pretty girl of 18, of Newport, Ky. On New Year's eve she attended a watch meeting with William Lincoln, aged 22. The bells had hardly finished ringing out their welcome to the infant year when Miss Metcalf delicately broached the subject of marriage to her companion and suggested a life partnership. Mr. Lincoln accepted in a wink and the couple were married the next day.

TOWN OF VLADIVOSTOK.

Street Scenes That Are Characteristic of Russian Life.

Vladivostok has the aspect of an inferior Hongkong, of about a quarter the size. Hills crowded with forts rise around it up to a height of 800 feet. It lies on the south side of a peninsula twenty miles long, called Maravief Amursky, in 43 degrees 6 minutes 51 seconds north latitude, and 131 degrees 54 minutes 21 seconds east longitude. The town is between four and five miles long, but is straggling and unconnected and of no breadth. Some streets are very steep and all are horribly dusty in dry weather, being never watered, and being continually crossed in all directions by droshkas driven at a smart pace. Instead of pavements the streets have "sidewalks" of planks, as commonly seen in new American cities. You take six stout planks, some twenty-five feet long, and lay them side by side, and you continue the process for the requisite number of versts of miles (three versts are two miles), and the "sidewalk" is complete, save for a few props and nails, where the ground is too soft or the foundation degenerated into holes.

The droshkas are driven by red-headed, snub-nosed Russian izvozchiks in low, glazed, stovepipe hats, with very curly brims, red sleeves, pleated black skirts and high boots. In them one often sees, lolling as passengers, a couple of frowsy Chinese, or a still frowsier Corean. The fare is only eighty kopeks, or one shilling and eighteenpence, an hour, or over half an hour; and from point to point there are tenpenny and fivepenny fares, according to distance. The regulations forbid charging more, but, with fine irony, allow the driver "to take less if he likes." He may not leave his cab to take care of itself, may not "sing, make a noise, or cause a disturbance;" he must temper his pace to a "town trot," and "keep to the right-hand side of the road."

The troika has a dashing look; the horse in the middle trots under the arched duga, whose object and effect, when properly put on, is to keep the shafts at the same distance apart. The small horses right and left are cantering, and their bodies incline a little outward from the car. In Vladivostok are few complete triple teams; generally there are only the "middle horse" trotting and one other cantering on its near side.

The water barrel on wheels, drawn by horse or bull, and often driven by a soldier is a frequent sight, carrying water up to the forts and to the upper town. A funnier horse vehicle is the sit-astride, cushioned beam, on which izvozchik and cloaked and spurred officer sits, with dangling legs, one behind the other—the officer behind.—Fortnightly Review.

MANY LIKE THEM.

The Young Wife Found Out That Her Husband Could Dodge a Difficult Question.

The honeymoon was over and they had settled down to show themselves staid and steady old married people.

"Harry" she said, knitting her pretty brows as if greatly perplexed, "I've been trying to arrange things a little systematically today."

"Quite right," he replied. "It's time we were settled and had everything arranged properly."

"Yes, but, Harry, the fact is I—I—"

"You what? Nothing has gone wrong, has it?" he asked anxiously.

"Oh no, but everyone was so kind to us that I find it a little hard to—to. It wouldn't be proper to sell any of the presents, would it?"

"Certainly not."

"That's just what I feared," she said with a sigh. "You see, I don't know just what to do with them all."

"Do with them!" he exclaimed with masculine readiness to settle any question. "Why, use them, of course."

"But how, Harry, how?" she asked. "We have eight clocks, and only a seven room flat."

He gave a low whistle.

"Then we have five dozen silver spoons and four cake baskets."

He began to look perplexed himself.

"There are twelve butter knives and six fruit dishes," she added.

He swore softly to himself but made no suggestion.

"We have three sets of fruit knives, and —"

"Enough," he exclaimed. "Do what you please with them."

"But Harry, I want you to—"

"They're yours," he interrupted. "They were all given to you and not to me, weren't they? It wouldn't be fair for me to assume any right to them when they were expressly given to you."

And thus she learned of man's ability to dodge a difficult question.

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FOX & GRAY—Attorneys-at-law, Pacific Mutual building, entrance 6, fourth floor, San Francisco.

WASTE & STETSON—Attorneys and counselors-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 13 and 14, Blake & Moffitt building, Oakland, California.

E. H. SHAW—Attorney-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 53 and 54.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA—907 Broadway, northeast cor. of 9th st., Oakland, room 3, telephone No. 38.

JOHNSON & SHAW—Law office, 921 Broadway, rooms 2, 3 and 5.

MELVIN C. CHAPMAN—Attorney-at-law, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., rooms 3, 4 and 5.

NYE & KINSELL—Attorneys-at-law, 861 Broadway.

R. M. FITZGERALD—Attorney-at-law, 851½ Broadway, rooms 1 and 2, Oakland.

SNOOK & CHURCH—Attorneys-at-law, room 3, dist. atty's office, Court House.

SAMUEL BELL McKEE JR.—Attorney-at-law, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

W. F. ARAM—Attorney-at-law, 856 Broadway.

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TWO '95 model Victor bicycles, 1 ladies' and 1 gentleman's; perfect condition; cheap. Address box 22, Fruitvale, Cal.

FOR SALE—A snap; cash business in Oakland; clears $100 per month; price $600. J. H. Edson, No. 20 San Pablo av.

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FOR SALE—Handsome family carriage of modern style, in excellent condition; also fine large sized brown horse, steady, accustomed to town use and so gentle that a lady can drive it, with harness, together or separately. Apply at 522 Broadway, Oakland.

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FIRST-CLASS German, French and American cook, is able to take full charge of kitchen, wishes situation in private family in Oakland, wages not under $30, references given. Address Cook, 1165 Sacramento st., San Fran.

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WANTED—Situation to do general housework or as second girl. Call 1115 3d st., in forenoon.

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SMITH'S—Employment and house renting Agency, cor. 17th st. and Telegraph av.; help of all descriptions and nationalities; those having homes to let please call and give particulars.

A SWEDISH girl, good cook, would do general housework, also 2d girl, good seamstress, etc. If you desire good, reliable servants for work of any kind; male or female, any nationality, leave your orders at the Swedish and German Employment Bureau, 921 Broadway, room 17, cor. 9th st.

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MRS. CATTELL—525 8th st.; German, Scandinavian and all nations, male or female referenced cooks, second girls, nurses, waitresses, coachmen, gardeners, etc., awaiting work. Telephone 643.

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LOST—Either at Becker's market or between there and 11th st., a red leather purse. Apply No. 32 Telegraph av. and receive reward.

HORN handled umbrella with silver band, left in large car (S. D. & H. line) at 5 P. M., Thursday, 7th and Washington sts. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at Whitney Express office.

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ATTENTION LADIES.

Mrs. M. J. Robinson has opened her dressmaking parlors. The most stylish cutting, designing and finishing are done. First class findings furnished, goods if required. Suits will made from $6 to $10. No. 617 San Pablo av., Oakland, Cal.

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A DRY TRIP across the bay; best wines, liquors, mineral waters and fresh beer on tap, together with best cigars and bounteous lunch at the Alameda Exchange, No. 7 Market st., San Francisco. Peter Harder, proprietor.

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Mr. George H. Ripley, for many years president of the Home Life Insurance Company of this city, was a policy holder in The Mutual Life and a persistent one. In 1847 Mr. Ripley became insured in The Mutual Life for $3000. The policy was increased by dividends and finally became a death claim for $11,189.

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THREE sunny furnished rooms, hot and cold water, all modern conveniences, central near all cars, reasonable. 325 9th st.

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WANTED—To rent; furnished cottage of four or five rooms, in good locality; rent not to exceed $8 or $10. Address C. T., box 3, this office.

TO LET—Furnished, cottage 7 rooms, bath also gas, terms reasonable. Please apply at 817 21 st., near West st.

A LITTLE house of two rooms all furnished for housekeeping. Call at 843 Fallon st., Oak st. station.

A LADY owning her own house in a fine and convenient locality would rent a large, handsomely furnished, sunny front room, with or without board. All conveniences. Address X. Y. Z., box 2, Tribune.

TO LET—Fine house of 12 rooms, all modern conveniences, 973 5th av.; key next door, cor. house. Rent reasonable.

FOR RENT—Five acres in Fruitvale; house of 4 rooms, stable, good well and pump, two acres orchard bearing, for sale, 2 dozen thoroughbred brown Leghorns, 1 Medallion No. 7 range in perfect order. E. Highman, 810 E. 15th st.

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A WIDOW lady with one child would like one or two children to board; receive a mother's care. Address L. G., box 1, Tribune.

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PLEASANT home, near business center; sunny rooms, pleasant grounds and excellent table. 366 E. 12th st., cor. 3d av.

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GRAND Army Hall to let one night a week. Apply Chas. Jurgens, 1116 Bdwy.

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FINE business corner, for grocery or variety store good chance; low rent; call at Adeline and 5th st. C. E. Beman, Oakland.

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MRS. JETSON tells past, present and the future; ladies 25c; gentlemen 50c, 775 23d st., bet. West and Brush sts., Oakland.

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IN SAN FRANCISCO—3 fine lots and house, rents $5 price $650; first applicant has the preference. Address box 2242, San Francisco.

FOR SALE—At a sacrifice, a 6 room modern cottage with 2 attic rooms; lot 37½x100 on east side of Harrison near the corner of 5th st., Oakland. Apply to Albert Schmidt, 620 E. 12th st., E. O.

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R. F. HORNING for fourteen years with A. Bruenn, the only piano maker in Oakland; repairing a specialty. 1059 Franklin bet. 11th and 12th sts.

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LAYMANCE REAL ESTATE & INVESTMENT CO.,

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$6000—Completely furnished, price reduced from $8500, 2 story, 9 rooms and bath, lot 50x125; Myrtle st., near 10th; special bargain. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$3100—2 story, 8 room house, just completed; lot 35x122; very cheap place and extraordinary easy terms. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

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$3000—Make offer, estate must be closed; 6 room cottage with lot 41x122 choicely located at Center st. station. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Company, 466 8th st. 100A

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Properties shown and information cheerfully given.
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WM. P. TODD,

OAKLAND HOMES. SUBURBAN HOMES,

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$2000—Worth $3000; cottage of 6 rooms and bath; large lot; within 10 minutes' walk of City Hall, sunny side street.

$4500—Worth $6000; house of 7 rooms and bath and all modern conveniences, lot 46x100 feet; five minutes walk of City Hall; sunny side street; fine location.

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300x100—Within 1 minute's walk of electric road and 7 minutes' walk of local train, ½ block of land; $2700 will buy it; only $1050 cash; balance can remain on mortgage; it's a snap!

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Real Estate, Loans, Notary Public.
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ROOM 15, 851 BROADWAY.

EXCHANGES made for any kind of property.
GOLD GRAVEL MINE wanted in exchange for clear land, house or lots.
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EXCHANGE 50 acres of rich valley land for house, lots of gold gravel claim; will assume mortgage.
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PROFESSIONAL teacher of piano; organ and singing, two lessons a week at $5 per month, either one; scholar of Prof. Mueller. Inquire at 271 9th st.

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my pretty maid?"
"I'm going to the Fruitvale
Terminal Tract, sir,"
she said, (to buy a lot).
Lots $100 up; very easy terms. D. Pratt, Fruitvale station. The McCarthy Co., San Francisco.

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DURAY SMITH—Searcher of records and conveyancer, Alameda county. Office 455 9th st., bet. Broadway and Washington sts., Oakland.

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GEO. B. M. GRAY—Real estate broker; houses rented and built. 463 9th st.; telephone No. 221.

F. C. WATSON—Real estate broker, 463 9th st.

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CHEAP land; illustrated book for 2c.; M. I. Griffin, Cottonwood, Shasta Co., Cal.

H. B. FINNEY—Lots $150, $1 a week. 903 Broadway.

W. L. PRATHER—Real estate, notary public, insurance broker. 478 10th st.

JAMES S. NAISMITH—Real estate broker and notary public. Tel. 478. 463 9th st.

J. W. MOSS—Real estate, notary public; money to loan. 958 Broadway bet. 9th and 10th sts.

FOR EXCHANGE.

WANTED—To exchange a good double seated buggy for a good bicycle. Inquire B. P. Lausten, 869 Broadway.

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MONEY to loan in sums to suit on property; 8 per cent. G. G. Baker, 902 Bdy.

OAKLAND COLLATERAL Loan Co., 925 Broadway, near 9th st.; liberal advances on diamonds, watches, jewelry, silverware, pianos, guns.

MONEY TO LOAN in sums to suit at reasonable rates. Prime bargains in real estate; houses to rent. D. E. McDonald & Co., No. 463 9th st.

LEGAL.

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes for the Year 1895.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1895.

To all tax payers in the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, tax collector of the County of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said County of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California.

Notice is herby given that the assessment book for State and County taxes for the year 1895 on all property within the County of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, every day (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the first Monday in October, 1895, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said County of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

First Monday in October, in the Year 1895,

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda County, situated in the City of Oakland, in said county, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in November, 1895,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1896, five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda county for the year 1895, will be payable to the undersigned, tax collector of said Alameda county, as aforesaid, at the office of the tax collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1896, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April, 1896,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the first Monday in October, 1895, all the taxes whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

First Monday in October, 1895,

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes both first and second installments will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 12th day of October, 1895.

JAMES B. BARBER,

Tax collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

SCHOOL BONDS FOR SALE.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, California, made October 28th, 1895, sealed proposals will be received at the office of the treasurer of said county at the Hall of Records of said county, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, until 12 o'clock noon, on the 1st day of February, 1896, for the purchase of three bonds of the denomination of Five Hundred Dollars each of Newark School District of Alameda County; at which said time said proposals will be opened and said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidder for cash in United States gold coin, subject to the provisions hereinafter set forth. Said bonds were issued by said Board of Supervisors under and in accordance with the provisions of Section 1880 to 1888, both inclusive, of the Political Code, and in conformity with an order of the Board of Supervisors of said county passed October 28, 1895, and bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum from date until paid, interest payable on the first day of February of each year, out of and from the Building Fund of said Newark School District upon presentation and surrender to the treasurer of said county of the interest coupons.

Said bonds are to be numbered consecutively one to three inclusive and are to mature as follows, to wit:

Bond numbered One, one year from date.

Bond numbered Two, two years from date.

Bond numbered Three, three years from date.

Bids will be received for one or any larger number of said bonds up to three. All bids must be equal in amount to the par value of the bonds bid for and accompanied by a certified check or cash deposit in the sum of at least 10 per cent. of the amount of the bid, payable to the Clerk of the Board of Trustees of Newark School District of Alameda County. The said check or deposit will be returned in case of rejection of the bid, and be forfeited to the Board of Trustees if the bidder neglects to pay for the bond or bonds he bids for within five days after notice of the acceptance of the bid.

Upon the opening of said proposals said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidders for cash in United States gold coin subject to the above provisions.

All bids or proposals are to be addressed to the "Board of Trustees, Newark School District, care O. M. Sanford, Treasurer of Alameda County" and endorsed "Proposals for Bonds."

F. FALK,
JULIUS WILDERMUTH,
C. G. HEALY, Clerk.
Trustees Newark School District, Alameda County, California.
Dated December 28, 1895.

Adjudication of Insolvency.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of D. M. Needham, insolvent debtor.

D. M. Needham having filed in this court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, by which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said D. M. Needham is hereby declared to be insolvent.

The sheriff of the County of Alameda is hereby directed to take possession of all the estate, real and personal of the said insolvent debtor, except such as may be by law exempt from execution and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep the same safely until the appointment of an assignee herein.

All persons are forbidden to pay any debts to the said insolvent debtor, or to deliver any property belonging to said insolvent debtor to him or to any person, firm or corporation or association for his use.

The said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this court, except as herein ordered.

It is further ordered that all the creditors of said debtor whose claims shall have been placed on file in the office of the Clerk of this court at least two days prior to the 17th day of January, 1896, be and appear before the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, in open court at the court room of said court, Department No. 2, in the County of Alameda, on the said 17th day of January, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, to prove their debts and choose an assignee of the estate of the said debtor.

It is further ordered that this order be published in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the County of Alameda, as often as the said newspaper is printed before the said day set for the meeting of creditors.

And it is further ordered that in the an assignee of the estate of said insolvent debtor be stayed.

Dated January 8, 1896.

JOHN ELLSWORTH,
Judge of the Superior Court.
Frederick C. Clift, attorney for petitioner, 453 Eighth street.
Endorsed, Filed January 8, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. H. Mason, Deputy Clerk.

LEGAL.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA.

Advertisement for Plans and Specifications.

Notice is hereby given that the regents of the University of California will receive at the office of the Secretary of the Board of Regents in South Hall, in Berkeley, Alameda County, on or before 12 o'clock M. of January 17th, 1896, plans and specifications in detail for three buildings to be erected in San Francisco, grouped together in one harmonious design on the site selected by said Regents for the use of the Affiliated Colleges and Departments conducted in San Francisco.

The amount appropriated to be expended for the erection of said buildings is $250,000, and $125,000 thereof is available for the 47th fiscal year and $125,000 thereof is available for the 48th fiscal year.

The sum of $500 will be awarded to the architect whose plans and specification may be adopted as a premium and full compensation therefor, provided that upon the adoption of such plans and specifications said architect execute and file with the Board of Regents of the University of California a good and sufficient bond with two sureties thereto in the penal sum of $500 to be approved by the said Board, or its duly authorized agent therefor, conditioned that within 60 days from the date of said bond said architect will upon presentment to him enter into a contract containing such provisions and conditions as said Board of Regents may require, and also conditioned that he will give such further bond to secure the faithful performance of said contract, with such securities as may be required of him in the event that said Board of Regents should within 60 days require said architect to enter into such contract to erect said buildings at the price named herein to be expended for the erection of said buildings.

This advertisement is made under and pursuant to an Act of the Legislature entitled "An Act to regulate the erection of Public Buildings and Structures" approved April 1st, 1872, (Stat. of 1871-2, p. 925) which Act is hereby referred to and made a part of this advertisement.

By authority of the Board of Regents.
Dated December 18, 1895.
J. H. C. BONTE,
Secretary of the Board of Regents.
Berkeley, December 18, 1895.

POSTPONEMENT.

All persons interested are hereby notified that the time for receiving said plans and specifications mentioned in the above advertisement is hereby postponed and extended until 12 o'clock M. of January 31, 1896.

And further, that all the information possessed by the committee as to the site of said buildings and the requirements of said affiliated colleges and other departments of the University, can be had by printed circular at the office of Regent Reinstein, No. 217 Sansome street, San Francisco, and at the office of the Secretary at Berkeley, California.

By direction of the Committee on Grounds and Buildings.

J. H. C. BONTE,
Secretary Board of Regents.
Dated Berkeley, December 28, 1895.

SUMMONS.

CLARA HATTIE FULLER,
Somers, Conn.,
vs.
CHARLES A. FULLER,
Oakland, Cal.

Order of notice.
State of Connecticut, ss.
County of Tolland,
Rockville, January 4th, A. D. 1896.

Upon the complaint of the said Clara Hattie Fuller, praying for reasons therein set forth for a divorce, now pending before the Superior Court in and for Tolland county, to be held on the first Tuesday of February, A. D. 1896.

It appearing to, and being found by, the subscribing authority, that the said defendant is residing in Oakland, State of California, and absent from this State.

Therefore ordered that notice of the pendency of said complaint be given by publishing this order in the Tribune, a daily newspaper printed in Oakland, California, and in three successive issues of said paper, commencing on or before the 20th day of January, A. D. 1896, and by depositing a copy of said complaint, citation and order of notice in the postoffice, postpaid at Rockville, Conn., directed to said defendant at Oakland, California, on or before the 10th day of January, A. D. 1896.

LYMAN TWINING TINGIER,
Clerk of the Superior Court for Tolland County.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of John Green, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of John Green deceased, and for the issuance to Anna Green of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court and that Monday, the 13th day of January, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, December 26, 1895.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
Mullany, Grant & Cushing, attorneys for petitioners, 164 Sutter street, San Francisco, California.

NOTICE OF SALE!

One heifer, the property of James H. Swift, pastured on the Hewston ranch, Alameda County, California, will be sold at the Hewston ranch ten days after date to pay pasturage and advertising charges on same.

S. E. HEWSTON.
Oakland, January 2, 1896.

DIVIDEND NOTICES.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

The Oakland Bank of Savings, Oakland, Cal.—For the six months ending December 31, 1895, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and one-tenth (4 1-10) per cent per annum, on all savings deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Thursday, January 2, 1896. Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of dividend as the principal, from January 1, 1896.
W. W. GARTHWAITE, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—MUTUAL SAVINGS Bank of San Francisco, 33 Post st.—For the half year ending December 31, 1895, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and one-fifth (4.20) per cent per annum on term deposits and three and one-half (3.50) per cent per annum on ordinary deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Thursday, Jan. 2, 1896.
GEORGE A. STORY, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—THE UNION Savings Bank, Oakland, California. A dividend has been declared to depositors for the six months ending December 31, 1895, at the rate of four and one-tenth (4 1-10) per cent per annum on all savings deposits, payable on and after January 2, 1896.
A. E. H. CRAMER, Cashier.

MEETING NOTICES.

ANNUAL MEETING NOTICE.

Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank of Oakland, California. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the corporation, No. 1103 Broadway, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, on Tuesday, the 14th day of January, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M.
By order of
EDSON F. ADAMS, President.
James C. McKee, Cashier.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The Oakland Bank of Savings, Oakland, Cal., December 23, 1895. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Oakland Bank of Savings will be held at the office of the corporation, corner of Broadway and Twelfth streets, Oakland, on Monday, January 13, 1896, at 3 o'clock P. M.
ISAAC L. REQUA, President.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE UNION SAVINGS BANK, Oakland, California.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Union Savings Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the banking house, southeast corner of Ninth and Broadway, on Tuesday, January 14, 1896, at 2 o'clock P. M.
A. E. H. CRAMER, Secretary.

ANNUAL MEETING STOCKHOLDERS, UNION NATIONAL BANK.

The twenty-first annual meeting of the stockholders of the Union National Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the corporation, northwest corner of Twelfth and Broadway streets, Oakland, on Tuesday, January 14, 1896, at 3 o'clock P. M.
C. E. PALMER, Cashier.
Dated December 14, 1895.

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AMUSEMENTS.

Macdonough—Aramanti Concert Co.
Oakland—"The Train Wreckers."
California—"Macbeth."
Baldwin—"Daughters of Eve."
Columbia—"The Lost Paradise."
Tivoli—"Ixion."
Morosco's—"The Fugitive."
Orpheum—High Class Vaudeville.
Alcazar—"My Precious Baby."

THE WEATHER.

FORECAST MADE AT SAN FRANCISCO FOR 36 HOURS ENDING 5 P. M. JANUARY 13, 1896.

Northern California—Cloudy weather and probably light rain tonight and Tuesday; stationary temperature; southeasterly winds.

Southern California—Cloudy weather and probably light rain along the coast tonight and Tuesday; stationary temperature; southeasterly winds.

SAN FRANCISCO AND VICINITY.

Continued cloudy, threatening weather and probably light rain tonight and Tuesday; stationary temperature; southeasterly winds. A. M'ADIE,
Local Forecast Official.

MONDAY ..... JAN. 13, 9681

Rev. Minot J. Savage, for many years the Unitarian pastor of Unity church in Boston, has been called to the pastorate of the Church of the Messiah in New York. Mr. Savage came to California about 33 years ago and served several small Congregational churches in this State. He is now regarded as one of the ablest Unitarian ministers in the country.

An Eastern paper notes that the great corn harvest of the Southern States is moving off to Europe. Six vessels bearing over half a million bushels sailed from New Orleans on Saturday, the largest carrying 175,719 bushels for Rotterdam and Hamburg, the greatest single cargo ever shipped from that city. Europe is taking an unusual amount of American corn this year and some of the southern ports are securing a full share of this form of commercial business. Consumers in European countries have begun to realize the value of corn as a food staple, and the opportunity of a foreign market will prove of inestimable value to growers.

In 1887 there were 12,983 miles of railroad constructed in this country, but in the year just closed only 1,782 miles were constructed. In railroad construction during 1895 Texas leads with 224 miles, while Pennsylvania is credited with only 86 miles of new line. It is evident, however, that the bottom has been reached and a moderate revival in railway building may be looked for this year. With cheap materials and plenty of labor that sort of enterprise is bound to assume new form, although the figures of the year 1887 are not likely to ever again be reached. The railroads of the United States aggregate over 180,000 miles and the rail mills are more largely occupied with the betterment of this mileage than in turning out a produce for new ventures.

The New York Sun learns from a Washington dispatch that the "Union Iron Works concern of San Francisco has intimated to the Navy Department that it would not refuse to build duplicates of the Kearsarge and Kentucky at the same cost, $2,250,000 each, with an addition of three per cent, for the expenses of transporting material to the Pacific coast.

"Three per cent, or $67,500 is a fair reckoning for this extra amount, Secretary Tracy having allowed $60,000 on the same ground in the case of the Oregon, now under construction by the San Francisco firm. Hence, if the report is correct, a very brief bill in Congress would secure us the starting at once of two more armorclads like those awarded to the Newport News yards."

A Boston correspondent of the Springfield Republican roasts Harvard College in this way: "It is the weakness of my alma mater, the old lady of Harvard, that she never could accept the doctrine of the wisdom of the multitude; her doctrine is that of the elder Pharisees: 'This people which knoweth not the law is cursed.' She ranged herself on the side of England in disputes that led to the war of 1812; she could not endure Madison nor Jackson, nor Garrison, nor Emerson, nor Phillips till they had the government overwhelmingly on their side; she kotowed to Webster when he kotowed to the oligarchy of the South; and she seems to be ranging herself again on the side of peaceful, righteous, civilized England which is just now verifying the good things her advocates are saying about her by sending a force of soldiers into the South African republic to provoke the most needless of wars."

Bugs Under the Stones.

It was Dr. Holmes who said substantially that reformers were like the man who turned over a flat stone in the field and then saw all the bugs break for cover. Governor Budd as a reformer has turned over several political stones and has had the fun of seeing the bugs scurrying for a place of refuge. He turned over a stone in the school book department and found strange things under it. Raymond, for instance, will have to break for a new cover. This he intimates he will do as soon as the money appropriated for his use is gone. Of course if the money would only hold out this leech would hold on indefinitely.

Governor Budd will have an opportunity to turn over several more political stones during the year. He will find bugs under nearly all of them. When a little more light is let in they will scurry for a new cover. The Governor seems to know just what stones to turn over, and has a pretty clear idea in advance of about how many bugs he will find under them

Engineer Hammond and the Dutch.

John Hays Hammond, a mining engineer who went from San Francisco to South Africa some time ago, has fallen into the hands of the Boers. This announcement has created some excitement in San Francisco, where Hammond is well known. It is not at all likely that any injustice will be done to the engineer. Hammond was the right hand man of Cecil Rhodes, the English premier of Cape Town, who has been forced out of office on a charge of complicity with Jameson in the raid on the Transvaal. Rhodes appears to have been the prime mover behind the scenes. Hammond, as his confidential man, must have known all about the plans that had been formed at Cape Town.

If these plans had been successful Rhodes would have been in high feather. There would not have been the least need of any forced retirement. Hammond was a member of a reform club in Johannesburg, which was in full sympathy with the plans that had been matured at Cape Town. All these ramifications have direct reference to a revolution in the Transvaal. The Boers have demanded among other things, damages for the raid and the expulsion of Rhodes from Africa. They have laid hands on an American who stood very near to Rhodes, and is supposed to have known all about his plans, even if he was not actually engaged in promoting them. The Jameson incursion having been a failure, the Boers are now looking for the mischiefmakers. They hold that it is enough that foreigners should be allowed to make fortunes in some of the richest mines in the world without undertaking to overturn the government that makes these large concessions. The Boers are not given to mining. They hold that foreigners who enter that country must conform to the laws and be content with the large fortunes they are making. Hammond himself had a very large fortune in sight at the time of his arrest. The Boers probably do not care a copper about his social position in San Francisco. If he has done no wrong his liberty is not greatly endangered. If in any way he has been mixed up with the Jameson raid, the inspiration of which is traced to Cecil Rhodes, Dutch justice will probably be about the same for Hammond as for any other foreigners who conspired against the government.

Of Certain Barricades to Temptation

Certain ministers have recently given notice that hereafter they will establish barricades against temptation. Whether this results from any conscious weakness or from mere prudency is a matter of little importance. But why give any such public notice at all. There are thousands of good men who go about their daily business without thinking it desirable to inform the world that they are going to erect breastworks against all carnal assaults. They manage to get along without any extraordinary trials to their virtue.

No doubt ministers have some extraordinary temptations. But they are supposed to have had a special training to resist them. Now the minister who supposes he is compromised by allowing women at reasonable hours to enter his study or office takes rather a low estimate of what goes to make a strong and sterling character. He can be accessible to all his congregation without compromising himself. Christ in the course of his brief ministry, accepted the hospitality of "publicans and sinners." He went into their houses, sat down at their tables, conversed with some who had led abandoned lives. The Pharisees criticized his conduct. But he justified it by saying he came not to call the righteous but sinners to repentance. He was not afraid of compromising his character. The lowest and meanest creature could find access to him.

Men of strong character walk in their integrity. There are none who may need their counsel more than those who are cast down and are without friends. Why should any of these deem it a wise precaution to erect new breast works or to double lock their study doors? Their mission calls them to meet temptation as strong men. But a public notice that any preachers are not strong enough to resist it, and must therefore build some extra clerical fences, sounds strangely in this year of grace.

Three European Powers in Accord.

When the German Emperor sent a message of congratulation to the President of the Transvaal that a conspiracy had been defeated, there was more than one sting in it for the English. Russia and France were in accord with Germany. It was in some sense the joint rebuke of three great European Powers. Nothing like that had occurred for more than a quarter of a century. There were no warlike threats on the part of these nations. There was simply an expression that they did not approve of the British policy of aggression in Africa.

This expression was interpreted as warlike by the British government. Here were three nations in full agreement that a warning note was called for by the situation. If England could conspire for the overthrow of the Dutch Republic, what other possession in Africa would be safe? Then England began to bluster and muster its squadrons on the sea. There is little prospect of a European war. Great Britain will not invite it, and there is little evil once that the other powers want it.

For a good thrust under the short ribs the Sun can do it with unction, as witness the following: The Hon. Hamlin Garland, a poet, novelist, reformer and literary man of the modern school, which believes that everything homely is beautiful and everything tedious interesting, is to begin work soon as an art missionary. After he has dashed off a few more masterpieces he will lecture on American art, and carry his lectures and a collection of American pictures into the big and the little cities of the West. He intends to cultivate the "art instinct" in his hearers, and possibly in himself. He must have a great deal of it, for he sedulously keeps it out of his writings. It is understood that American painters take kindly to his expedition into art and lecture, and will be glad to lend him pictures. They argue that folks out West will cheerfully buy all the American pictures they can get hold of rather than have Mr. Garland lecture to them and expand their art instincts.

Here is one of the many reasons why William Watson, the English poet, did not receive the laureate. He had not blown the trumpet sufficiently for England. This is his latest counterblast:

Never, O craven England, nevermore
Prate thou of generous effort, righteous aim!
Betrayer of a people, know thy shame!
Summer hath passed, and autumn's threshing floor
Been winnowed; Winter at Armenia's door
Snarls like a wolf; and still the sword and flame
Sleep not; thou only sleepest; and the same
Cry unto Heaven ascends as heretofore:
And the red stream thou might'st have staunched, yet runs;
And o'er the earth there sounds no trumpet's tone
To shake the ignoble torpor of thy sons:
But with indifferent eyes they watch, and see
Hell's regent sitting yonder, propped by thee,
Abdul the Damned, on his infernal throne.

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GOOD WORDS.

To maintain an opinion because it is thine, and not because it is true, is to prefer thyself above truth.—Venning.

He that resolves upon any great and good end has by that very resolution scaled the chief barrier to it.—Tyron Edwards.

We cannot too often think there is a never-sleeping eye, which reads the heart, and registers our thoughts.—Bacon.

I argue not against heaven's hand or wall, nor bate a jot of heart or hope, but still bear up, and steer right onward.—Milton.

Riches without charity are worth nothing. They are a blessing only to him who makes them a blessing to others.—Fielding.

The intellect of man sits visibly enthroned upon his forehead and in his eye, and the heart of man is written upon his countenance.—Longfellow.

Our own opinion of ourselves should be lower than that formed by others, for we have a better chance at our imperfections.—Thomas a Kempis.

Forever from the hand that takes one blessing from us, others fall; and soon or late, our Father makes his perfect recompense to all.—Whittier.

It is the old lesson—a worthy purpose, patient energy for its accomplishment, a resolateness undaunted by difficulties, and then success.—W. M. Punshon.

We should be careful to deserve a good reputation by doing well; and when that care is once taken, not to be overanxious about the success.—Rochester.

Revolutions are not made, they come. A revolution is as natural a growth as an oak. It comes out of the past. Its foundations are laid far back.—Wendell Phillips.

The mind is found most acute and most uneasy in the morning. Uneasiness, is indeed, a species of sagacity—a passive sagacity. Fools are never uneasy.—Goethe.

Names for Her Guests.

A well-known Louisville girl whose brains have won for her the reputation of being one of the most brilliant women in the city, held a book party recently at her house and the names she gave some of her acquaintances were so excellent that I feel it my duty to give the public the benefit of them. My consideration for the people named will not allow me to give their right names, but you can draw your own conclusions and I dare say that the right people will be spotted in more than one instance. "Great Expectations" is the pseudonym which has been given to a young lady who believes that she will eventually win the heart and hand of a man of birth and fortune. Unfortunately she has not yet met this man. "The Sign of the Lyre" is the name that has been given to a well known matron, for what reason I can only guess. Several well known spinsters have been dubbed "Plain Tales From the Hills." These ladies—or girls, as they prefer to be called—are just chuck full of stories which have become threadbare from constant telling.—Louisville, Ky., Post.

Kindness Misapplied.

A certain woman, with a small income and a large heart, has a family of impecunious cousins—mostly girls of the type that cannot earn their own living, and let themselves helplessly down upon the nearest available benefactor. She worried over them last winter considerably, because she was sure the necessities of life were running low in their little house, and she finally gave up her Christmas presents to her own family and sent the cousins a check instead. Two weeks later she met two of the girls at a tea—they always go to everything—and to her amazement each wore a handsome gold buckle at her waist. "Dear Cousin Jane," one of them said, effusively, "we were so grateful for your gift! We have wanted buckles for a year, and now we have gotten them through your kindness."—Harper's Bazar.

A MENU FOR TOMORROW.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 14TH.

BREAKFAST
Fruit
Farina — Sugar and Cream
Broiled Chops — Egg Omelet
Buckwheat Cakes — Coffee

LUNCH
Grilled Oysters in chafing dish
Cold Slaw — Pickles
Baked Apples — Wafers
Tea

DINNER
Chicken Soup from Bones
Veal Cutlets — Tomato Sauce
Sheet Potatoes — Lima Beans
Fruit Salad
Cornstarch Pudding
Wafers — Cheese
Coffee

Dimensions of the Grab

Mr. John Bach McMaster, the historian, in an exposition of the Monroe doctrine, contributed to the New York Times of yesterday, pointed out the fact that Great Britain was trying to exercise "squatter sovereignty" in Venezuela, not over 30,000 square miles, as has been stated, but 109,000 square miles—an area which, he says, "is exceeded by no States in the Union save Texas, California and Montana; an area ninety times as large as Rhode Island, fifty times as large as Delaware, thirteen times as large as Massachusetts, and 40,000 square miles larger than the six New England States." Yet Mr. Depew rushed into print a week or more ago with the statement that he had been offered the whole tract for $25,000.—Philadelphia Record.

The first recorded case in which a woman availed herself of the prerogative which leap year grants to "the sex" was that of Miss Jane Metcalf, a pretty girl of 18, of Newport, Ky. On New Year's eve she attended a watch meeting with William Lincoln, aged 22. The bells had hardly finished ringing out their welcome to the infant year when Miss Metcalf delicately broached the subject of marriage to her companion and suggested a life partnership. Mr. Lincoln accepted in a wink and the couple were married the next day.

TOWN OF VLADIVOSTOK.

Street Scenes That Are Characteristic of Russian Life.

Vladivostok has the aspect of an inferior Hongkong, of about a quarter the size. Hills crowded with forts rise around it up to a height of 800 feet. It lies on the south side of a peninsula twenty miles long, called Maravief Amursky, in 43 degrees 6 minutes 51 seconds north latitude, and 131 degrees 54 minutes 21 seconds east longitude. The town is between four and five miles long, but is straggling and unconnected and of no breadth. Some streets are very steep and all are horribly dusty in dry weather, being never watered, and being continually crossed in all directions by droshkas driven at a smart pace. Instead of pavements the streets have "sidewalks" of planks, as commonly seen in new American cities. You take six stout planks, some twenty-five feet long, and lay them side by side, and you continue the process for the requisite number of versts of miles (three versts are two miles), and the "sidewalk" is complete, save for a few props and nails, where the ground is too soft or the foundation degenerated into holes.

The droshkas are driven by red-headed, snub-nosed Russian izvozchiks in low, glazed, stovepipe hats, with very curly brims, red sleeves, pleated black skirts and high boots. In them one often sees, lolling as passengers, a couple of frowsy Chinese, or a still frowsier Corean. The fare is only eighty kopeks, or one shilling and eighteenpence, an hour, or over half an hour, and from point to point there are tenpenny and divepenny fares, according to distance. The regulations forbid charging more, but, with fine irony, allow the driver "to take less if he likes." He may not leave his cab to take care of itself, may not "sing, make a noise, or cause a disturbance;" he must temper his pace to a "town trot," and "keep to the right-hand side of the road."

The troika has a dashing lock; the horse in the middle trots under the arched duga, whose object and effect, when properly put on, is to keep the shafts at the same distance apart. The small horses right and left are cantering, and their bodies incline a little outward from the car. In Vladivostok are few complete triple teams; generally there are only the "middle horse" trotting and one other cantering on its near side.

The water barrel on wheels, drawn by horse or bull, and often driven by a soldier is a frequent sight, carrying water up to the forts and to the upper town. A familiar horse vehicle is the sit-astride, cushioned beam, on which izvozchik and cloaked and spurred officer sits, with dangling legs, one behind the other—the officer behind.—Fortnightly Review.

MANY LIKE THEM.

The Young Wife Found Out That Her Husband Could Dodge a Difficult Question.

The honeymoon was over and they had settled down to show themselves staid and steady old married people.

"Harry," she said, knitting her pretty brows as if greatly perplexed, "I've been trying to arrange things a little systematically today."

"Quite right," he replied. "It's time we were settled and had everything arranged properly."

"Yes but, Harry, the fact is I—I—"

"You what? Nothing has gone wrong, has it?" he asked anxiously.

"Oh no, but everyone was so kind to us that I find it a little hard to—to. It wouldn't be proper to sell any of the presents, would it?"

"Certainly not."

"That's just what I feared," she said with a sigh. "You see, I don't know just what to do with them at."

"Do with them?" he exclaimed with masculine readiness to settle any question. "Why, use them, of course."

"But how, Harry, how?" she asked. "We have eight clocks, and only a seven room flat."

He gave a low whistle.

"Then we have five dozen silver spoons and four cake baskets."

He began to look perplexed himself.

"There are twelve butter knives and six fruit dishes," she added.

He swore softly to himself but made no suggestion.

"We have three sets of fruit knives, and—"

"Enough," he exclaimed. "Do what you please with them."

"But Harry, I want you to—"

"They're yours," he interrupted. "They were all given to you and not to me, weren't they? It wouldn't be fair for me to assume any right to them when they were expressly given to you."

And thus she learned of man's ability to dodge a difficult question.

Expeditious and Economical.

There are many things which are made and sold in this city which are as good and frequently a great deal better than any of the same kind which may be procured across the bay. When, however, it is necessary to bring an article from or send one to San Francisco, the best means should be utilized to save time and money and, accordingly, the People's Express is just the medium which the public patronizes. It is expeditious, reliable and economical. The office is on Ninth street between Broadway and Franklin streets.

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Good second hand furniture of all descriptions, cheap, for cash, at Schellhaas', 408 Eleventh street.

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Parlor furniture, bed lounges. They must be sold at once at H. Schellhaas', 408 Eleventh street.

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PAINE'S CELERY COMPOUND MAKES PEOPLE WELL

Found Dead in Bed.

Mrs Pauline Shubert, 51 years of age was found dead in bed at her home, Ninth street and Dwight way, Berkeley, yesterday morning. She had been ailing for some time, but as there was no physician in attendance, the Coroner will hold an inquest. Mrs. Shubert was quite well off financially. She owned her home in Berkeley, property in San Francisco and had considerable money in the bank.

Children at the Josephinum Orphanage, Mission San Jose, Alameda County, Admitted Since October, 1895.

HALF ORPHANS.

Females—Louisa Janssen, aged 10 years; Gertrude Granter, aged 4 years.

Males—Joseph Maggio, aged 11 years; Frank Maggio, aged 7 years; Edward Granter, aged 6 years; George Granter, aged 4 years.

ABANDONED CHILDREN.

Females—Mary O'Day, aged 5 years; Genevieve O'Day, aged 3 years.

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[Last Days of Pompeii]

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PROSPERITY FOR OAKLAND

That Is the Only Axe That the Merchants Exchange Is Grinding.

President Geo. L. Fish Sets Straight Some Misrepresented Matters.

President Fish of the Merchants Exchange expressed surprise when asked this morning whether or not the Exchange would support the proposed Oakland Exposition, and replied with considerable emphasis:

"Why of course we will support it. We will support anything that is calculated to benefit Oakland. That is one of the things for which the Exchange was organized. We will stand for any merchants who are jumped on. We will stand to see that the licenses are collected from outside merchants who do not contribute to the support of this city. We will stand to advance the trade and the interests of Oakland. Now, why should we not support the Oakland Exposition? We will not back it up because we want to give a show, but because we want to do something that will result in a benefit to Oakland. The stand of the Exchange has been badly mixed up in the papers, but I can tell you that what I say is the correct statement of the case."

The proposed exhibit will be held at a time this year when it will not interfere with the interests of the merchants, manufacturers or producers of this county. Besides, not alone will all these interests be represented, but the country towns and townships will be allowed distinctive places in which to show everything and anything that they can manufacture or raise.

Mr. Fish is a very busy man, but he always finds a few moments to set forth the aims and objects of the Merchants' Exchange with respect to benefiting Oakland. He said today that the Exchange has a number of things in view calculated to aid this city and some of them will be brought to the attention of the public before long.

There is reason to fear, however, that Mr. Fish's connection with the presidency of the Exchange will cease with the end of his present term of office. He admitted this fact to a Tribune reporter this morning.

"I will retire next month from the office of president of the Exchange," he said, "and I hope that a good man will be secured for the place. I have not the time to devote to the business. My place is here in my office. I will, perhaps, get on the Board of Directors and then I can work."

While it is true that Mr. Fish has devoted a great deal of his time to the Exchange it is suspected that the principal objection which he has to remaining in the position of president is the aversion he has to the notoriety which the place occasions. Besides, he feels that many people are inclined to ascribe to the occupant of any office of the kind a desire of self-aggrandizement and such an imputation, which is undoubtedly unjust, is decidedly distasteful to Mr. Fish. All the members of the Exchange are aware of members of the Exchange are aware of this fact, because they know that Mr. Fish has studiously remained in the background on all public events connected with the Exchange, except where it was absolutely necessary for him to come to the front.

Thus far no person is known to aspire to the position of presidency, although George W. Arper's and G. R. Daniels' names have been mentioned in connection with the position. Despite Mr. Fish's objections, however, it is more than likely that he will be unanimously re-elected to the position which he has filled so faithfully and well.

AN OFT-EXPLODED SCARE.

Another Evangelist Prophesies the End of the World.

He Offers In Support of His Theory the Present Troublous Times.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 13.—The Rev. Dr. H. M. Wharton, prominent as an evangelist, thinks the millennium is close at hand. In a sermon on "The War Clouds and What They Mean," he said in part:

"Christ is coming again. It will be a personal coming. He came first as prophet and priest.

"He will come again as King of the resurrection. He will call the righteous dead from their graves and the righteous still alive will be called together.

"I believe that the Christian men and women will suddenly disappear from the streets and the world will know nothing about it. Men will go on with business as before.

"I cannot prophesy as to the time of his coming, but according to my belief, it looks as if this is just about the time.

"Look at the signs. The gospel has been preached to all nations; there is a general falling away among Christians from the Father; there is great suffering, a martyrdom such as the world never saw, for Christ's sake; great earthquakes and war clouds and war talk more pretentious than ever before.

"These facts are signs which portend the coming of the King."

THE OAKLAND HOME.

Stockholders to Assemble in Annual Session Next Saturday.

The annual meeting of the Oakland Home Insurance Association, which is now in liquidation, will be held next Saturday afternoon in the Masonic temple at 1 o'clock. At the last meeting, which was held a year ago, there was a remarkable gathering of the stockholders, nearly all of whom were far advanced in years and were at one time among the leading financiers of this county. There was a lively discussion then held as to the manner in which the closing up of the affairs of the company had been managed, which finally resulted in the appointment of a committee on the subject and the retention of Assistant Secretary Sites to prosecute the work. Very great returns are not anticipated by the former supporters of the concern, but many of the stockholders will doubtless be on hand to see how much can be pulled out anyway.

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Doig have returned from their tour in the Southern part of the State and are located in their new home on Blossom street. They visited Los Angeles, San Diego, Coronado and the chief points of interest in the Southern citrus belt.

Professor T. F. Sanford of the State University has returned to the Albany after an interesting trip to the head waters of the Feather river.

Bert Hooper returned from Red Bluff Saturday.

Mrs. Dr. Shuey is seriously ill with the grip at her home on Fourteenth and Myrtle streets.

Will Melvin, the popular young clerk of the Mountain View Cemetery Association, is dangerously ill with hemorrhage of the stomach.

Chaplain A. R. McAllister, who assisted at the funeral of the late J. W. Coleman, has returned to his home in Vallejo.

Mrs. F. D. Miller has returned to her home in Kern City, after a pleasant visit in town with Mrs. Hartell.

Miss Angie Webster, Fred Webster and Aggie Lander of Contra Costa have been spending a few days in this city and San Francisco.

Miss C. Cole of Antioch has been the guest of Mrs. E. A. Thomson of Benton street during the last week.

Dr. C. D. Schofield has moved from Seventeenth and Myrtle streets to the Central bank building.

M. L. Levy of the firm of M. Lissner & Co. leaves tomorrow evening for Chicago and New York, to be gone five weeks.

H. Mosbacher and family left Saturday for New York City via New Orleans. They will be away a month or six weeks.

Mrs. R. Penny of Johannesburg, South Africa, and Mrs. M. Keagan of San Francisco have been visiting their sister, Mrs. P. V. Bennett at the Ross house.

Attorney H. D. Talcott, formerly of San Francisco, has moved to this city for his health.

Miss Anieser of Napa returned this morning to resume her studies at the State University.

Father Akerly, assisted by Dr. Mynard, joined Mrs. Zoa Madeline Fresh and Charles Starkweather in marriage at St. John's church yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Starkweather will be at home after February on Wednesdays at 956 Twenty-eighth street.

The Shattuck avenue M. E. church gave a pleasant entertainment last Friday, the proceeds going toward improvements for the church. The following programme was rendered: Organ solo, Arthur Froyler; introductory remarks, Mrs. L. H. Shuey; Petroleum V. Nasby, J. H. Cooper; recitation, "Grigsby Station," Mrs. Guy Francis; Mark Twain and Danbury News Man, Col. P. T. Dickerson of Alameda; solo, "Genevieve," N. Pushie; Artemus Ward, J. C. Cole; recitation from Eugene Field, Mrs. Dickerson; Josh Billings, J. H. Cooper; solo, Miss Ledeterwassen; dialogue, "The Storm Center," A. and Miss D. Manning.

HE HELD OUT THE MONEY.

A Township Trustee Decamps Leaving a Big Shortage.

Names Signed to Receipts and All the Cash Held Out.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—A special from Indianapolis, Indiana, says:

For several days past the commissioners of Perry County have been examining the accounts of Trustee Hubbs of Troy township and the affair has resulted in a sensation, as Hubbs was a prominent politician of Southern Indiana, and largely connected in the locality.

When he presented vouchers for the commissioners showing the expenditure of money largely in excess of any of his predecessors suspicion was aroused and as the facts became known the people of the township demanded an investigation.

The commissioners then overhauled his accounts and summoned the men, more than a hundred in number, whose names were signed to the receipts, for the purpose of verifying them.

Not one in ten of the number summoned had received money from Hubbs for any purpose, and those who had sworn that the vouchers had been raised four or five times the amount for which the receipt was given.

A shortage of nearly $10,000 was thus discovered, and the sum promises to be much larger, as all Hubbs' transactions are to be investigated.

It is said that Hubbs has left town.

THE THEATERS.

"The Inside Track" Is to Be Produced Tonight at the Oakland.

Tonight "The Inside Track" will be produced at the Oakland Theater in a manner that will reflect credit on the management. The drama is one of Oliver Doud Byron's best productions. The plot is based upon the rival loves of the nephew of an English curate and a member of the church who proves to be a scoundrel. The incidents are strong and interest from beginning to end. The full strength of the excellent company now playing at the Oakland, headed by Andrew Waldron and Jennie Calef is cast for the play. There will be a number of exceptionally clever scenic effects.

MARIE WAINWRIGHT.

The sale of seats for the Marie Wainwright engagement at the Macdonough theater will commence Thursday. Her engagement will commence on Monday night in "The Love Chase;" Tuesday, "An Unequal Match;" Wednesday, "Camille."

Golden Gate Notes.

Golden Gate, January 13.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Golden Gate Methodist church will give a pink tea in the parlors of the church, Friday evening at 5 P. M. Those who desire an excellent cup of tea, are cordially invited. All collections will go toward the support of the society.

Some of the young ladies of this town are endeavoring to start an athletic club for young ladies and girls. If they succeed it will be called the Golden Gate Athletic Club. They also speak of organizing a whist club.

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WHAT A WAR MEANS TO US.

America Should Try to Avoid all Quarrels With England.

WE ARE AS ONE PEOPLE.

A Conflict Would Mean Havoc to the Whole of Mankind.

CHRISTIANITY'S GOOD COUNSEL

A Sensible Address That Will Undoubtedly Strike Home.

A remarkably appropriate subject is treated this week in the Tribune's special sermon series, the theme being "The War Question—Our Responsibility as a Nation." It is by the Rev. Edward A. Horton, the distinguished president of the Benevolent Fraternity of Churches of Boston. His remarks are as follows:

"Ye are of the salt of the earth, but if the salt have lost its savor."—Matthew, v., 13.

If these words of Jesus were applicable to a little band of disciples, how much more fitting are they when applied to a government like ours, which has before it the ideal of a Christian republic. This is a time when the full meaning of American citizenship should be made clear. As from a central sun, sending its bright rays everywhere, so should this great responsibility not only enforce duty, but shed inspiration.

Without any boasting we can truly say that the principles of our free, representative government are the salt of the earth. They are supposed to embody applied Christianity. The watchwords of Freedom, Justice and Brotherhood are stamped upon our charters. However much we may stumble and fall short, still the place which we ought to fill in the history of humanity is very clear. Nothing nobler has been set to the efforts of man.

But if the salt has lost its savor, then what? That is to say, in a time like this, the world looks eagerly to see whether we understand what we are set to do, whether we rise to the grandeur of our opportunity, whether we are guided by motives caught from the battlefields of the middle ages, or by precepts from the "Sermon on the Mount." If the salt of our laws and institutions loses its savor, then progress is defeated. In other words, if we go backward at a crisis like this to passionate conditions which we thought outgrown, then there is a sad indictment of human hopes.

The simple demand upon the American people at present is to remember. We must not forget what we felt sure had been gained through the century or two of our growth. Arbitration has been tested and found useful. It has been claimed by us that we should never engage in war for anything but self defense. The slaughter of our fellow men has been declared the worst calamity possible on this earth. Organized religion has reared its altars throughout the land and spread its messages of peace and good will. We must remember these things and many other cheering features, and allow self restraint to have her perfect work. There is a vast deal to be utterly thrown away if we engage in war, just at this time, as we approach the 20th century.

It is not in any spirit of cowardly submission that I say this. No one appreciates more than myself heroism in any department of life. We know well that martyr stakes, dungeon damps and battlefield sacrifices have been necessary to establish the rights of man. But the question arises at this time: "Are we not far enough along to believe that, by exercising the spirit of Jesus, we may find it possible to have honorable peace in nearly every emergency?"

LOOK ABROAD.

The next duty is to act in a judicial spirit. We must look at things in the large. Our interests are not simply localized on one continent, but have spread out with intricate ties over the entire globe. Here we have built up a certain kind of civilization, in which prosperity sings through the music of loom and throb of the anvil. Industry has become an abiding friend here with us in the United States, never, we trust, to be drawn away by martial frenzy. Let us remember that we, as a nation, represent the advanced type of civilization. Are we able to sustain it along the lines our ancestors marked out? Puritan and Pilgrim and Cavalier all believed in the possibility of a government which might exist without the taint of old battle-time ferocity. If it is necessary to settle matters so frequently by warfare, then men at large would greatly prefer another kind of government, wherein these military things are done better.

We are not trained for the army and for battles; our education points toward peaceful pursuits. It would be putting the pointer on the dial of progress back a great many centuries if we rushed headlong into a conflict with England. It might seem at first as though a struggle of this kind would encourage new republics in other parts of the world; so it would, in a certain sense. But deeper down would be the fear and distrust, even in these same little republics, as they saw our inability to carry out the fundamental principles of commonwealths.

Then we turn to Christianity, which we have claimed finds its first full illustration on these shores. Here we say was planted the culled grain seed of the truths which pledge for their harvest the "brotherhood of man." We have taken this thought and put it into our laws; built it into our hearthstones; woven it into our songs, and made it the pavement on which our daily traffic securely walks. If a peaceable, straightforward, friendly type of Christianity such as this cannot thrive, of course, we need to know it. But here is an opportunity now for us to resolve that the salt of our noble purpose shall not lose its savor. If we, as a people, declare that we can accomplish our ends in a peaceful, yet firm, way, I fully believe it can be realized.

It must ever be borne in mind that we are only at the threshold of agitation. Those who are not thoughtful will imagine that the rumors of war, which have stirred our country to its depths, have ceased, and all is now clear; nothing could be farther from the facts. There are delicate questions of detail yet to be handled, which will require the greatest care and statesmanlike caution. It seems to me that the solving of such matters depends more upon the spirit in which they are handled than on technical knowledge and smart ability. If we, as a people, demand that, in settling the Venezuelan question, there shall be a steady purpose on the part of our representatives to deal calmly and broadly with the matter, that will surely bring the right result. If our Christianity is of such flimsy material that it cannot meet such a test as this satisfactorily, then we ought to bow our heads in shame.

THE TERRORS OF WAR.

I have not referred to the awful possibilities involved in a war between England and ourselves. I would like to feel that such a dire calamity is out of the question. Here is our white winged commerce flying with happy messages of good will from shore to shore; that would be swept from the seas. The ties that bind us with the mother country would be wounded almost beyond healing. The great heritage which we have from her of a common tongue, glorious memories and wonderful literature would be stained with the shame of carnage. There are probably no two nations that, once in battle with each other, could work so much havoc in the affairs of mankind.

Allow that Great Britain is sometimes overbearing, still we cannot deny that she is more acceptable to us than any other nation. Her institutions, ancestral sources and general attitude are more in harmony with our republic than any other strong continental nation. We ought to forgive much.

Our responsibility before the world has never been so great as at the present time. Everything depends upon the calmness and self possession with which we dignifiedly go through this trying ordeal. Let us put aside all small bitterness and rise to a sense of what we are and what is expected of us. I believe in the American people. They are at heart true patriots. When it comes to the cannon's mouth as a matter of necessity, they are there, and the flashing of swords does not affright them. But peace is ever the motto of our industrious, God fearing, Christiain communities.

No one would be quicker than myself to stand firmly against unChristian aggression. Let our sympathies go out fully to those who are trying to establish free governments. May the salt of our fraternal feeling never lose its savor through any timidity or negligence. But, on the other hand, let us act as though we had become mature, and were not children. Let us remember the spirit of Washington rather than that of Napoleon. It is Washington who serves as a guiding light, and it is Lincoln, the patient, considerate and long suffering soul, who shines beside Washington as a guardian spirit of the nation. Have we not come to a point in our history when it is far more heroic and grand to abstain from certain things than to rush into mad conflict?

BUSINESS IS ALARMED.

The true man of business sends up his petition that the slowly gathered fruits of honorable labor may not be swept away in a moment of rage. The ruler of many looms asks that the web of mercantile prosperity may still be woven amid the happy tokens of comfort. The genuine politician sees now the auspicious hour when he can guide the ship of state through troublous waters and act like a statesman. The high minded lawyer rises to the plane of arguments where humanity is his client. The journalist dips his pen in the sympathetic ink of wise caution and noble restraint. The minister of the gospel sees before him his Master who commands him to preach the "Golden Rule" and to exhort unto deeds of love.

Again, I ask my readers, of whatever position, if the salt of our Christian republic loses its savor at such a time as this, how can we hope to keep our place and influence amid the great opportunities of the twentieth century? There it was hoped that we should act a conspicuous and noble part. But we cannot do that if we enter it begrimed with the powder of battle and blinded by the smoke of passion.

I say this as one who served in the civil war. I say this as one believing in self respect for nations, as well as individuals. I say this as one realizing that the only real peace must be honorable. But this I say, after all has been declared—let us resolve together as a people that we will do everything in our power to maintain our fundamental principles as a peace loving nation. That we will put to shame, as far as we can, any grasping, crowding behavior from any nation by dignified, earnest protest. That we will demand arbitration and comply with its decisions. Then, indeed, we shall be as salt for the whole world. Then we can enter the twentieth century and take the leadership, as we ought, among the nations with natural and tranquil power.

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HE'S NOT AFRAID.

Rev. Edwards Davis Says His Parishioners Can Call on Him.

Rev. Edwards Davis preached in the Central Christian church yesterday and declared that despite the resolution of certain ministers to admit women to their studies only under certain conditions, he would still be pleased to meet members of his flock in his studio as formerly. "When the ministry," he said, "shall be muzzled because one dog has bitten, God will close our mouths from the utterance of his holy word; passions cannot be padlocked, and the man that is untrue in the darkness of the night can only deceive and thereby damn in the light of day."

ARMENIAN ATROCITIES.

Rev. C. H. Hobart Talks on the Issue of the Hour.

"Armenian Atrocities" was the subject of the address by Rev. C. H. Hobart at the First Baptist church last night. He took his text from John, 15:20, "If they have persecuted me they will also persecute you." Mr. Hobart told of the mutilation and torture of Christian men and women, the outraging and abduction of girls and children, the starvation so prevalent, the spoliation of the homes of the rich and poor, all owing to the cruel cunning of the Turkish Sultan, whose policy it is to exterminate the Armenian race. He asked what the people are going to do about it. The first thing that is practical is to raise funds to send to the distressed people. Miss Clara Barton, the head of the Red Cross Society, will go to the relief if $500,000 be raised. It was also necessary, he said, to create public sentiment on the subject.

NOT PETER, BUT CHRIST.

Professor Daniels Talks on the Foundation of the Church.

There was a meeting of the A. P. A. in Masonic hall yesterday which was attended by a large number of people. An address was delivered by Prof. P. E. Daniels. It was based on scriptural argument. He used the scriptures to show that the passages in those writings on which it is sought to build the supremacy of the Catholic church have been misconstrued by that institution and that it was not Peter but Christ himself who was the rock on which the church had been founded.

He read a number of extracts from Catholic publications and scouted the idea that the church could teach error. He spoke of his devotion to his country and closed by saying that America seemed to him to be like a magnificent diamond, rough and discolored when discovered by Columbus. In the hands of our forefathers the victories of Concord, Lexington and Bunker Hill polished and finished the stone. It is now the people's duty to place it in such a position and hold it so high that it will flash the light of republicanism and liberty throughout the world.

TO FOSTER OUR COMMERCE

American Manufacturers Are to Hold a Mammoth Convention.

Steps to Be Taken Towards Building Up International Trade.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—The convention of the National Association of Manufacturing of the United States to be held in this city January 21st to 23rd, is growing in so rapidly that C. S. Locke of New York City has been obliged to come to Chicago to lend a helping hand to Vice President John B. Kirk.

The secretary from Ohio reports that Cincinnati will send 300 delegates and the rest of the State will send as many more. Indiana and Missouri will send 250 each. It is estimated that 5000 manufacturers will be in attendance.

The association is non-political, non-partisan, and non-sectional, and has for its aim the general good of the manufacturers and the development of some plan, through legislative channels or otherwise, by which trade relations between the United States and foreign countries may be developed and extended.

It also desires to perfect some plan by which agencies may be established in such countries as China, Japan and the South and Central American Republics to enter into competition with products of European manufacture which now have practical control of these markets.

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By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—A special from Washington says:

"Torpedos are being planted in the harbor of Havana and heavy seige guns are being placed in position."

This was the private information received by the Cuban Junta and given out by Senor Rubens last night.

As the insurgents have not a ship afloat the inference is irresistible that Spain expects interference by the United States and is preparing to defend the capital from attack by sea.

Action by the United States looking to the recognition of the belligerent rights of the insurgents may be nearer than is generally expected.

It is stated on apparently good authority that President Cleveland's Venezuelan message was a double barreled affair which hits Salisbury in two places at the same time.

According to the secret agents of the Cuban government, Spain is at the end of its resources and will have to suspend specie payments entirely within the next thirty days.

With bankruptcy staring it in the face, Spain it is said, made a proposition to sell the island of Cuba to Great Britain.

Lord Salisbury, it is intimated, according to Cuban authority, sounded the United States on the subject and the reply was President Cleveland's vigorous enunciation of the Monroe Doctrine.

The Senate committee on foreign relations has been holding several conferences of late.

Senator Davis of Minnesota, at the head of a sub-committee having the matter in charge, is now drawing up a formal definition of the Monroe Doctrine, at which expands the original declaration and makes it clear as the formal doctrine of the American Congress.

Those who claim to know say that this declaration is intended to meet both the Cuban and Venezuelan cases.

As the dry season ends in March it is now said that if Spain does not succeed in stopping the rebellion by that time, the United States will certainly recognize the insurgents as belligerents.

The Cuban colony is in a ferment over rumors that recognition by the United States is at last at hand.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Little Florina Guido Meets With a Very Sad Fate.

The coroner held an inquest this morning on the remains of little Florina Guido, the 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guido of 1063 East Nineteenth stret. The child was playing near a bonfire a few days ago and by accident fell into the flames. She received severe burns, but at the time it was thought her life could be saved. Dr. Foster called and treated the little one, but yesterday she succumbed to her injuries.

The jury rendered a verdict in accordance with the facts.

Anheuser-Busch for the Weary
Clear, cold, pure malt beer—the Anheuser-Busch Faust brew. A tonic for the sick and a system builder. Sold only at the Anheuser-Busch saloon, 477 Ninth street.

A Bad System.

A well-known citizen called at the Tribune office this morning and complained of the tardiness of the fire department. He stated that a fire at the corner of Linden and Sixteenth streeets yesterday morning at 10:30 o'clock there was a great delay before the engines arrived and that there was apparently a deplorable lack of system.

LADIES' RELIEF SOCIETY.

Children Admitted to the Home Since October 1, 1895.

October 5th—Bertha Brooks, f., aged 10 years; Rebecca Thompson, f., aged 11 years; Jacob Thompson, m., aged 7 years; Ruth Thompson, f., aged 2 years. October 12th—Ernest Waage, m., aged 10 years; Elsie Waage, f., aged 7 years; Amy Waage, f., aged 2 years. October 19th—Lloyd Fisher, m., aged 11 years; Andrew Fisher, m., aged 9 years. November 19th—Bennie E. Lester, m., aged 5 years. November 29th—Nannette Woods, f., aged 6 years. December 3d—Genevieve Hopkins, f., aged 3½ months. December 6th—Robert James Hamilton, m., aged 5 weeks. December 10th—Robert Osborne Buskett, m., aged 9 years. December 19th—Leopold Waage, m., aged 4½ years. December 24th—Gertrude Lily Livingston, f., aged 3 years. December 28th—Ernest Carlton Blow, m., aged 6 years. December 30th—John Wesley May, m., aged 7 years; George Clarence May, m., aged 6 years.

JESSIE CAMPBELL,
Cor. Sec. L. R. S. of O.

Oakland, Cal., Jan. 3, 1896.

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STUDIES RESUMED.

Pupils From all Over the State Are Pouring Into Berkeley.

THE CLASS ARRANGEMENTS.

Registrations and Recitations Combined Under the New Rule.

SUFFRAGISTS ARE ON DECK.

Rev. Dr. Marshall Law Gets a Overhauling by Mrs. Partridge.

BERKELEY, Jan. 13.—College opened for the spring term this morning. Generally the first day is set apart wholly for registration of courses, but by a new rule of the faculty registrations and recitations take place at once upon the commencement of the spring session. Hence classes were called promptly at 8:25 o'clock this morning, in so far as the schedule has them set for that hour, and the work of the great University was formally begun.

Registration, as practiced now at Berkeley, is a unique process. The student receives a big brown printed card from the recorder or his assistant, upon which he places the names of the courses he wishes to pursue during the term. These courses he must first ascertain do not conflict with others he has signed for either in time of meeting or of final examination. Then the assistant puts the recorder's stamp upon the coupon attached to the card and which bears an abbreviated list of the subjects to be followed. With this coupon the student presents himself to the professors of the various courses he has selected, and is at once enrolled by them in their classes. Without the little brown stub the student cannot be admitted.

Train loads of students came in yesterday and this morning from the various parts of the State. The San Diego steamer brought up a large party from Los Angeles and all the southern parts. It will be several days, however, before all the stragglers are on hand, though the habit of coming back late is not so prevalent as formerly, owing to the stringent rules of the faculty regarding such delinquency.

THE SUFFRAGE SOCIETY.

The Citizens' Suffrage Society met this afternoon at Stiles Hall. There were a large number of women present with a sprinkling of men. The speaker of the occasion was W. H. O'Brien, manager of the Altruria colony in Sonoma county, who is at present stopping with his wife amongst Berkeley friends. While there he is making arrangements for type and presses to be used by the Altrurians in an educational campaign soon to be started for the enlightenment of the masses upon the principles of Altrurianism.

The subject of Mr. O'Brien's lecture was "Strong Points in Woman's Suffrage and the Liability of Failure Through Woman's Non-Acquaintance With Political Methods." The substance elicited much comment after the address had been delivered.

Mrs. William Keith read the paper she recently prepared for the Institute of Applied Christianity. A general discussion then followed upon the great central theme of the day for women, namely, "How to carry the State for suffrage in next fall's campaign." There was also discussion upon the paper that Professor Plehn of the University read before them at a previous meeting. It is expected of the Students' Congress that they will reopen the suffrage question decided a short time before the last term closed against the movement, and by a more accurate and fairer definition of the question offer another opportunity for further debate, as this next term is essentially the debating season, there being two contests with Stanford between now and next May, without doubt the champions of women will again have a chance to vent their logical eloquence.

GOES FOR DR. LAW.

Mrs. Clara Partridge has written a letter for the Berkeley Advocate in which she criticises the action of the Rev. Marshall Law of Oakland, who has announced that he will see no more women on any sort of business except in the presence of his wife. Mrs. Partridge thinks this is a reflection upon the average woman. She says: "It is certainly true, as Dr. Law states, that there is a sort of unhealthy sentimentality between some of the ladies of some churches and some pastors, but because one or two, or even half a dozen, instances of injudicious friendliness may be named, does it follow that all women are to be shunned and treated as villainous schemers, and all men, especially ministers of the gospel, to be isolated because they are too weak to meet women without losing their moral dignity or probity of character?"

TO SUCCEED COLEMAN.

Brewton A. Hayne has been appointed a director of the Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institute by Governor Budd to succeed the late John W. Coleman. As Mr. Hayne is the popular town attorney of Berkeley the appointment gives townsmen general satisfaction.

A RECEPTION.

Messrs. Winfield and C. T. Brehm were given a farewell reception at Miss Cora Fisk's kindergarten by their numerous friends last Friday evening. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Metcalf, Mr. and Mrs. Durgin, Mr. and Mrs. McMullen, Mr. and Mrs. Captain Gage, Miss Cora Fisk, Miss Georgie Krause, Miss Jennie Kerrison, Miss Fuller, Miss Belle Meyers, Misses Eunice and Belle Van Housen, the Misses Gage, Miss Fanny Cook, Miss Perry, Miss McDermott, Charles Klein, Frank McClain, Fred B. Wilkins, Charles Gompertz, Walter Gompertz, J. F. Thompson and Mr. McDermott.

A QUAKERS' MEETING.

Mrs. Naylor preached at the Friend's church, on Ashby avenue in South Berkeley yesterday. The Friends, or Quakers, have been so successful in their place of worship to accommodate their increasing numbers. The society is holding a series of Quaker revivals at present, the first of the kind ever held in California. These are under the superintendence of J. H. Douglas, who has charge of all such yearly meetings in California. The society now has a membership of 2200. A dozen years ago it was organized in the State by a gathering numbering only twelve.

GENERAL GOSSIP.

The University grounds lighting fund, which the people of Berkeley are expected to raise and which amounts to $1000, is very slowly getting up toward the limit. One hundred and seventy-five dollars has thus far been raised over and above F. M. Widson's $500. This leave $325 yet to be subscribed.

William Ellis, retiring chaplain of Durant lodge, 268, of the F. and A. M., received a handsome rocking chair from the lodge in recognition of his age and past services at the last meeting of the lodge.

The new dog ordinance raises the yearly license from $1 to $2. The pound-man is instructed to catch stray geese and give them up to owners only after they have paid 25 cents per goose and 10 cents per day they are impounded.

John Perkins is slowly recovering from the pistol shot of Albert Meuzenmeyer, though he still has no feeling in his left arm and hand. It is rumored Mrs. Meuzenmeyer has offered to compromise the case for $1000.

The Berkeley High school Forum has decided that England is wrong in her present attitude toward the United States in the Venezuelan matter. Messrs. Parker and Good appeared in behalf of John Bull, Messrs. Warren and Simonds defended the United States.

Fred Fonzo has been found guilty of selling liquor against the law. Instructor Colby of the viticulture department of the University said the stuff raided was liquor and a verdict of guilty was promptly rendered.

The Order of Ralstonites is soon to be established in Berkeley. At a meeting called for the first Tuesday of next month the organization will be perfected.

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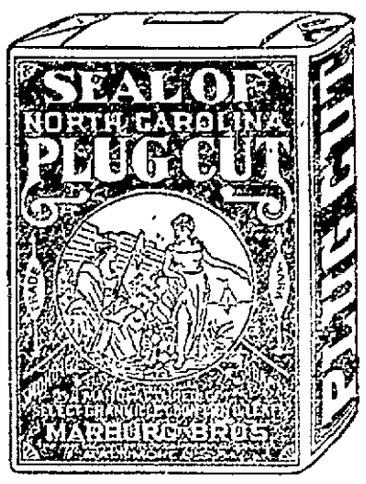

THE BEST PIPE TOBACCO.

TO RAISE THE STANDARD.

The Board of Health Proposes to Wake Up the Milkmen.

Beneficial Results From the Recent Raids Are Already Noticed.

Nearly all the members of the Board of Health are in favor of raising the test rate in the present milk ordinance. The San Francisco rate is to be raised in a few days to 3 1-5 per cent and it is the opinion here that Oakland should have better milk than the city across the bay. The pasturage is better and the expense of marketing the milk is less. Three and two-fifths per cent is the rate proposed here.

"Even 3 per cent," says Dr. Mayon, "is dong good, and I think goes far towards raising the standard. If you have noticed since the first raid there has been a general advance in the quality of the milk. The inspectors caught a dairyman one morning whose milk went down to 2 3-5 per cent. Of course it was thrown out and the fact published. A day or so afterwards another test was made from the same wagon and none of the milk went under 3 3-5. That is only one case. But it seems to me to show the tendency the ordinance has."

Dr. Pierce says the milkmen are wily, and are buying their own milk testers. One of them asked Pierce to purchase one for him yesterday. Whether this interest on the part of the dairymen augurs good or bad is a question. The health department are inclined to believe that the milkmen will use the machines to be sure not to water their milk too much and thereby render themselves liable to arrest.

There have been but two complaints from the milkmen and both of these were selling milk below the standard. Their complaint was not so much at having their milk tested as it was that the result of the test should be published.

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Ladies' Ribbed Natural Wool Vests and Drawers (good value) - - 75c each
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REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 10, 1896.

T. J. and H. C. Carroll et al. by comr. to Commonwealth M. B. & L. Assn N Park or 35th st 702-6 E San Pablo av E 75 x N 112, lots 1, 2, 3, Mitchell tract, map 2, $2562.

W. B. Mandeville to Victorine de Labrousse, W Oakland av 35 N Moss av N 50 x W 126.25, lot 11, blk H, Flint tct, $100.

J. F. Volger to Margaret A. Volger, N Park av where same intersects W Horton st distant 2282 W from W San Pablo, av N 175 W 133 S 50 E 79-6 S 125 E 53-6 to beg, being a sub plot 6 Ro V and D Peralta; N Auburn av or 47th st 372 E San Pablo av E 129-6 N 203 W 129-6 S 206, ptn lot 3, Coggeshall tract; N Park av 53-6 W Horton W 53 x N 125, lot 2, blk 25, Emery tract, $1.

Mary J. Veltch to James E. Crane, lots 2 to 5, blk E, Broadway Terrace, Q. C. D., $5.

William and Elizabeth Kircher to Antonio Avila, W Shattuck av 156-24 N Merced av N 35 W to Dondry line lot 14, blk B, Brumagin tract, the S to a pt which would be intersected by a line drawn W from pt of com and parallel with Merced av th E to beg, ptn lot 14, blk B, Brumagin tract, $10.

Hugh H. and Mary E. Dobbins to J. George Gardner, N Rose 150 W Spruce W 50 x N 127, blk 14, Berryman tract, Q. C. D., $10.

H. M. and Mary S. Allen to H. Hanser, subs 1 and 2 of lot 6, blk 24, Daleys Scenic Park tract, $10.

Theodore and Ida Wagner to The Realty Syndicate, 10 acres beg at a pt in line div plots 61 and 66, Ro V, and D Peralta at SW cor of NW ¼ plot 66 th NW 10.02 chs x SW 10 chs, portn plot 61 Ro V and D Peralta, known as the Vista del Mar tract; E Sacramento 342.19 N Bancroft way N 506.21 x E 129.25 lots 18, 19, 22, 23, 26, 27, 30 and 31, blk 2, Spaulding tract, $10.

Jean B. Ginot to Virginia A. Ginot, the E ½ of NW ¼ and NW ¼ of NW ¼ Sec 30, Tp 4 S, R 4 E, gift.

Fred G. and Ella Weston to C. P. Kern, S Jones st 290 W Telegraph av W 60 x S 100, ptn lots 12 and 14, corrected map, Jones tract, subj to mtge for $3000, $10.

A. E. Severns to Eldri Johnson, lot 8, blk D, J. E. McElrath tract, $5.

Pacific States S. L. & B. Co. to Frank A. Silva, lot 17, blk B, J. W. Crawford tract, $1600.

John J. and Sarah E. Lyon, by sheriff, to H. T. Armstrong, S Sutter 140 E Lowell E 40 S 160.05 W 40 N 159.47, lots 5 and 14, blk E, J. E. McElrath tract, $1000.

Laurent Huerstel to Thomas S. Mathewson, lots 1 and 2, blk 40, town SE 637.43 NE 1800.50 NW 2528.52 to beg, of Encinal, $10.

Thos. S. Mathewson, admr est Thos. D. Mathewson, to J. J. O'Farrel, same, $160.

Thos. S. Mathewson to same, same, $10.

J. G. and Thomas D. McCraith et al to same, lot 3, blk 40, lands adjet to Encinal, Q. C. D., $10.

H. C. Campbell and T. B. Kent, trs for James D. Smith, Nellie and James Sutherland, to S. F. Savings Union, W Oakland av at NE cor lot 52, th NW 1859.75 SE 726 SW 309.30 to E line county road Pleasanton to Dublin th SE 1123.32 being lot 52 less 2.60 acres off the S side thereof, map of Oakland Land and Impt Co., sub Santa Rita Ro, Pleasanton, $6230.

S. F. Savings Union to H. P. Chadbourne, same, $10.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 11, 1896.

Margaret Carroll, by commnr, to Jos. Lancaster, N 39th 160 E Grove E 40 x N 100, ptn lot 15, Montgomery tract N 1, $954.

Jos. and Elizabeth Lancaster to W. J. Oakes, same, $1000.

Jeremiah and Harriet O. Tyrrel to W. E. Proctor, N 29th st 325-6 W Telegraph av W 42-6 x N 100, ptn lkb 2080, map of est John Evoy in plot 36, $10.

W. A. Knowles et al, by commnr, to Lester W. Forsting, und ½ of 3½ acres beg at NW cor lands of Mrs. Rich th NW 2.98 chs NE 11.35 chs SE 2.98 chs SW 11.65 chs to beg, ptn V Peralta reservation, $3519.

Mountain View Cemetery Association to Rosina Williams, lot 229 in plot 14, said cemetery, $177.

E. H. and Calista H. Congdon to Anna H. E. Hale, W Grant 125 N Virginia st 25 x W 125, ptn lots 3, 4, 17, blk D, Edith tract, $10.

J. A. Patton to J. K. Stewart, W Delaware and California N 135 x W 100, ptn lot 1, blk 4, Teachers' State University Hd Assn, Q. C. D., $1.

Daniel J. and Margaret Coughlin to Hellen C. Shellard, S Delaware 110 E Hamlin E 40 x S 135, being the E 40 ft of lot W sub of range 8, Hardy tract, $10.

Mary J. Moss et al. to Miss A. F. Keefer, lot 3, blk R, amended map Moss tract, $10.

Same to Mary S. Pullman, lots 2, 3, and 4, blk F, Moss tract, $10.

W. E. and Erminia Dargie to P. Lavorel and A. Pagge, lots 245 and 246, Rose tract, $5.

Mary Russell to George D. and Mary A. Russell, EW Briggs av 250 SE High st SE 50 x SW 203, lot 40, Briggs tract, gift.

John C. and Annie M. Spencer to D'Arcy M. and Kate E. Cashin, beg at a pt 290 NW from NW 24th av and 150 NE E 19th st SW 50 NW 150 to E 23d av th N to its intersection with line drawn parallel with and distant 150 NE from NE E 19th st th SE 165 to beg, blk I, sub 50 associates tract, $10.

Walter J. Stewart et al., by commnr, to National Home and Loan Assn, S E 28th st 275 E 21st av S 140 E 166-6 N to S E 28th st W 107 to beg, lots 12, 13, 14 and 15, blk 91, Northern addn to Bklyn, $4231.

Charles A. and Lutie A. Tyrrel to Jeremiah Tyrrel, re-record of 466 d 234, N 39th 335-6 W Telegraph av W 42-6 x N 100, lkb 2080, map of est John Evoy in plot 36, $10.

William J. and Virginia R. Dingee to George W. and H. P. Bruseau, re-record of 576 d 332, 1 acre beg at SW cor lot 21, sub Piedmont Heights th SE 1.53 chs NE 6.59 chs to center Edith st th NW .90 ch NW .62 ch SW 6.67 chs to beg, ptn lot 21 sub ptn Piedmont Heights, $5.

G. W. and Henrietta P. Bruseau to William J. Dingee, lot 21, sub ptn Piedmont Heights, except 1 acre described in previous deed, Q. C. D., $5.

Cyrus E. and Elida A. Ellis to the Realty Syndicate, .09 of an acre beg at N cor lot 24 sub ptn Piedmont Heights th SW .79 ch SW 2.48 chs NE 3.22 chs NW .21 ch to beg, of public road, $5.

L. C. and Miriam Morehouse to F. A. Koetitz, lot 64, Elmhurst tract, map 2, $5.

Samuel I. and Annie P. McGill to Emery E. George, E Minturn 211 S Railroad av S 32-6 x E 88, lot 13, sub of lot 32, Fassking Park, subj to a mtge, $10.

John F. and Ellen E. Hankins, to Jno. Petsche, S Railroad av 210.07 E 3d st E 30 x S 135, lot 8, blk B, resub Haight tract, $10.

Myra Decker to Mrs. F. H. Ross, S Washington 100 E High st S 100 th E 35 S 20 W 35 N 20 to beg, ptn lot 8, blk 36, Q. C. D., $1.

William J. and Virginia R. Dingee to the Realty Syndicate, 71.20 acres com at most N corner plot 29, sub Rancho V and D Peralta thence SW 13.80 chs to center McAdam st th SE 3.50 chs SE 6.97 chs th leaving McAdam st and following center Marion st SE 80 links SW 1 ch SW 7 chs SE 3 chs SE 2.81 chs to center Bellevue av th SE 1 ch SE 12.18 chs SE 2.50 chs SE 4.05 chs SE 4.32 chs SE 2.20 chs SW 3.90 chs SW 2.30 chs SE 1.99 chs E 8.29 chs SE 2.10 chs SW 70 lks SE 9.40 chs NE 2.20 chs NE 2 80 chs NE 2 chs SE 2.80 chs SE 1.65 chs NE 2 chs SE 1 ch SE 1.50 chs SE 1.70 chs SE 68 lks NE 1.67 chs NW 1.40 chs NW 5 chs NW 5 chs NE 33 lks NW 11.50 chs NW 22.18 chs to center extension of McAdam st th NE 68 lks SE 1 ch NW 10.40 chs to beg, ptn plot 29, Ro V and D Peralta; 9.70 acres com at most E cor lot 15 in center Bellevue av th SE 1 ch SE 2.75 chs NE 6.80 chs SE 4.49 chs to center county road No. 1109 th SW 2.18 chs SW 28 lks SW 11 lks SW 65 lks SW 1.13 chs SW 29 lks 3.14 chs SW 1.10 chs SW 2.89 chs in leaving road NW 12.61 chs to SE line lot 15 th NE 5.20 chs to beg, ptn plot 29 Ro V and D Peralta; 2.36 acres com at most S cor lot 21, map of Piedmont Heights th NW 3.15 chs NE 6.59 chs to center Edith st th SE 2.53 chs SE 82 lks th leaving said st SW 15.56 chs to beg, ptn Piedmont Heights; 76.11 acres, being lots 1, 2, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 20 and 22, map Piedmont Heights; 2.21 acres com at most W cor of lot 4, Piedmont Heights, th NE 5.16 chs to center Bellevue av th SE 58 lks SE 1 ch SE 88 lks NE 1.51 chs SE 21 lks th leaving said av SW 5.76 chs to center Edith st th SW 3.69 chs NW 3.51 chs to beg, ptn Piedmont Heights; 1.87 acres com at most W cor lot 8, Piedmont Heights th NE 1.12 chs SE 3.02 chs to center of Bellevue av th SW 5 lks SW 2.30 chs SE 90 lks th leaving said av SW 1.96 chs to beg ptn Piedmont Heights, $5.

TOWN TOPICS.

There will be a meeting in the First Presbyterian church tonight to discuss the Armenian atrocities. Addresses will be delivered by a number of clergymen.

When the Baby Is Cutting Teeth

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In the matter of the estate of Harriet A. Sears, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Harriet A. Sears, deceased, and for the issuance to Lizzie Sears Gerberding and Egbert B. Stone of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court and that Monday, the 20th day of January, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, Oakland, January 3, 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.

Reed & Nusbaumer, attorneys for petitioners.

RAILROADS.

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SIXTEENTH STREET STATION.

Leave	From November 20, 1895.	Arrive
7:30 a	Atlantic express, Ogden and East.....	8:04 p
7:36 a	Benicia, Vacaville, Rumsey, Sacramento and Redding via Davis.....	3:39 p
8:04 a	Martinez, San Ramon, Napa, Calistoga and Santa Rosa..	5:45 p
9:37 a	Los Angeles express, Raymond (for Yosemite), Santa Barbara and Los Angeles..	4:09 p
9:37 a	Martinez and Stockton.....	10:04 a
2:01 p	*Port Costa and way stations	*7:24 p
4:06 p	New Orleans express, Fresno, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, Deming, El Paso, New Orleans and East.....	10:04 a
4:06 p	Santa Fe route, Atlantic express for Mojave and East	10:04 a
4:34 p	Martinez, San Ramon, Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga, El Verano and Santa Rosa.....	8:45 a
4:38 p	Benicia, Vacaville, Woodland, Knight's Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento.....	10:14 a
6:36 p	European mail, Ogden and East.....	9:12 a
7:36 p	**Vallejo.....	*7:14 p
7:36 p	Oregon express, Sacramento, Marysville, Redding, Portland, Puget Sound and East.....	10:14 a
10:37 p	‖Sunset Limited, Fresno, Los Angeles, El Paso, New Orleans and East.....	‖12:30 p

NILES ROUTE.
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Leave	From November 20, 1895.	Arrive
9:00 a	Niles, San Jose, Stockton, Ione, Sacramento, Marysville, Red Bluff and ***Orville.....	3:37 p
9:00 a	***Peters and Milton.....	***3:41 p
1:00 p	Niles, San Jose and Livermore.....	8:07 a
5:12 p	Niles, San Jose, Livermore and Stockton.....	6:41 p
6:43 p	Haywards, Niles and San Jose.....	7:07 a

SAN LEANDRO AND HAYWARD.
Seventh Street Near Broadway.

Leave	From November 20, 1895.	Arrive
7:00 a	|*| To Melrose, Seminary Park, Fruitvale, Elmhurst, San Leandro and Haywards.	|*| 9:33 a
9:36 a		11:03 a
10:36 a		|*| 1:03 p
12:36 p		2:03 p
3:36 p		5:03 p
4:36 p		6:03 p
5:36 p		8:03 p
7:36 p		10:03 p
9:36 p		‖‖ 11:13 p
11:41 p	‖	6:33 a

SANTA CRUZ DIVISION.
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Narrow Gauge.

Leave	From November 20, 1895.	Arrive
8:15 a	Newark, Centerville, San Jose, Felton, Boulder Creek, San Cruz and way stations; ***also Gilroy, Tres Pinos, Watsonville, Pacific Grove, San Luis Obispo, Guadalupe and way stations.....	5:44 p
2:15 p	***Newark, Centerville, San Jose, New Almaden, Felton, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz and principal way stations.....	***11:14 a
6:15 p	Newark, San Jose and Los Gatos.....	9:44 a
11:45 p	*Hunters' excursion, San Jose and way stations.....	**7:14 p

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10:25 A. M.	10:15 A. M.
12:25 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
1:55 P. M.	1:45 P. M.
4:55 P. M.	4:15 P. M.

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PROSPERITY FOR OAKLAND

That Is the Only Axe That the Merchants Exchange Is Grinding.

President Geo. L. Fish Sets Straight Some Misrepresented Matters.

President Fish of the Merchants Exchange expressed surprise when asked this morning whether or not the Exchange would support the proposed Oakland Exposition, and replied with considerable emphasis:

"Why of course we will support it. We will support anything that is calculated to benefit Oakland. That is one of the things for which the Exchange was organized. We will stand for any merchants who are jumped on. We will stand to see that the licenses are collected from outside merchants who do not contribute to the support of this city. We will stand to advance the trade and the interests of Oakland. Now, why should we not support the Oakland Exposition? We will not back it up because we want to give a show, but because we want to do something that will result in a benefit to Oakland. The stand of the Exchange has been badly mixed up in the papers, but I can tell you that what I say is the correct statement of the case."

The proposed exhibit will be held at a time this year when it will not interfere with the interests of the merchants, manufacturers or producers of this county. Besides, 1896 alone will all these interests be represented, but the county towns and townships will be allowed distinctive places in which to show everything and anything that they can manufacture or raise.

Mr Fish is a very busy man, but he always finds a few moments to set forth the aims and objects of the Merchants' Exchange with respect to benefiting Oakland. He said today that the Exchange has a number of things in view calculated to aid this city and some of them will be brought to the attention of the public before long.

There is reason to fear, however that Mr. Fish's connection with the presidency of the Exchange will cease with the end of his present term of office. He admitted this fact to a Tribune reporter this morning.

"I will retire next month from the office of president of the Exchange," he said, "and I hope that a good man will be secured for the place. I have not the time to devote to the business. My place is here in my office. I will, perhaps, get on the Board of Directors and then I can work."

While it is true that Mr. Fish has devoted a great deal of his time to the Exchange it is suspected that the principal objection which he has to remaining in the position of president is the aversion he has to the notoriety which the place occasions. Besides, he feels that many people are inclined to ascribe to the occupant of any office of the kind a desire of self-aggrandizement and such an imputation, which is undoubtedly unjust, is decidedly distasteful to Mr. Fish. All the members of the Exchange are aware of members of the Exchange are aware of this fact, because they know that Mr. Fish has studiously remained in the background on all public events connected with the Exchange, except where it was absolutely necessary for him to come to the front.

Thus far no person is known to aspire to the position of presidency, although George W. Piper's and G. R. Daniels' names have been mentioned in connection with the position. Despite Mr. Fish's objections, however, it is more than likely he will be unanimously reelected to the position which he has filled so faithfully and well.

AN OFT-EXPLODED SCARE.

Another Evangelist Prophesies the End of the World.

He Offers in Support of His Theory the Present Troublous Times.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 13.—The Rev. Dr. H. M. Wharton, prominent as an evangelist, thinks the millennium is close at hand. In a sermon on "The War Clouds and What They Mean," he said in part:

"Christ is coming again. It will be a personal coming. He came first as prophet and priest.

"He will come again as King of the resurrection. He will call the righteous dead from their graves and the righteous still alive will be called together.

"I believe that the Christian men and women will suddenly disappear from the streets and the world will know nothing about it. Men will go on with business as before.

"I cannot prophesy as to the time of his coming, but according to my belief, it looks as if this is just about the time.

"Look at the signs. The gospel has been preached to all nations, there is a general falling away among Christians from the Father; there is great suffering, a martyrdom such as the world never saw, for Christ's sake, great earthquakes and war clouds and war talk more pretentious than ever before.

"These facts are signs which portend the coming of the King."

THE OAKLAND HOME.

Stockholders to Assemble in Annual Session Next Saturday.

The annual meeting of the Oakland Home Insurance Association, which is now in liquidation, will be held next Saturday afternoon in the Masonic temple at 1 o'clock. At the last meeting, which was held a year ago, there was a remarkable gathering of the stockholders, nearly all of whom were far advanced in years and were at one time among the leading financiers of this county. There was a lively discussion then held as to the manner in which the closing up of the affairs of the company had been managed, which finally resulted in the appointment of a committee on the subject and the retention of Assistant Secretary Sites to prosecute the work. Very great returns are not anticipated by the former supporters of the concern, but many of the stockholders will doubtless be on hand to see how much can be pulled out anyway.

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Dolz have returned from their tour in the Southern part of the State and are located in their new home on Blossom street. They visited Los Angeles, San Diego, Coronado and the chief points of interest in the Southern citrus belt.

Professor T. F. Sanford of the State University has returned to the Albany after an interesting trip to the head waters of the Feather river.

Bert Hooper returned from Red Bluff Saturday.

Mrs. Dr Shuey is seriously ill with the grip at her home on Fourteenth and Myrtle streets.

Will Melvin, the popular young clerk of the Mountain View Cemetery Association, is dangerously ill with hemorrhage of the stomach

Chaplain A. R. McAllister, who assisted at the funeral of the late J. W. Coleman, has returned to his home in Vallejo.

Mrs. F. D. Miller has returned to her home in Kern City, after a pleasant visit in town with Mrs. Harrell.

Miss Angie Webster, Fred Webster and Aggie Lander of Contra Costa have been spending a few days in this city and San Francisco.

Miss C. Cole of Antioch has been the guest of Mrs. E. A. Thomson of Benton street during the last week.

Dr. C. D. Schofield has moved from Seventeenth and Myrtle streets to the Central bank building.

M. L. Levy of the firm of M. Lissner & Co leaves tomorrow evening for Chicago and New York, to be gone five weeks.

C. Mosbacher and family left Saturday for New York City via New Orleans. They will be away a month or six weeks.

Mrs. R. Penny of Johannesburg, South Africa, and Mrs. M. Keagan of San Francisco have been visiting their sister, Mrs. P. V. Bennett at the Russ house.

Attorney H. D. Talcott, formerly of San Francisco, has moved to this city for his health

Miss Anleser of Napa returned this morning to resume her studies at the State University

Father Akerly, assisted by Dr. Mynerd, joined Mrs. Zoa Madeline Fresh and Charles Sturkweather in marriage at St John's church yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Sturkweather will be at home after February on Wednesdays at 966 Twenty-eighth street.

The Shattuck avenue M. E. church gave a pleasant entertainment last Friday, the proceeds going toward improvements for the church. The following programme was rendered: Organ solo, Arthur Freyle; introductory remarks, Mrs L. H. Shuey; Petroleum V. Nasby, J. H. Cooper; recitation, "Grigsby Station," Mrs. Guy Francis; Mark Twain and Danbury News Man, Col P. T. Dickerson of Alameda; solo, "Genevieve," N. Pushie; Artemus Ward, J. C. Cole; recitation from Eugene Field, Mrs. Dickerson, Josh Billings, J. H. Cooper; solo, Miss Ledeterwasson, dialogue, "The Storm Center," A. and Miss D. Manning.

HE HELD OUT THE MONEY.

A Township Trustee Decamps Leaving a Big Shortage.

Names Signed to Receipts and All the Cash Held Out.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Jan 13.—A special from Indianapolis, Indiana, says:

For several days past the commissioners of Perry County have been examining the accounts of Trustee Hubbs of Troy township and the affair has resulted in a sensation, as Hubbs was a prominent politician of Southern Indiana, and largely connected in the locality.

When he presented vouchers for the commissioners showing the expenditure of money largely in excess of any of his predecessors suspicion was aroused and as the facts became known the people of the township demanded an investigation.

The commissioners then overhauled his accounts and summoned the men, more than a hundred in number, whose names were signed to the receipts, for the purpose of verifying them.

Not one in ten of the number summoned had received money from Hubbs for any purpose, and those who had sworn that the vouchers had been raised four or five times the amount for which the receipt was given.

A shortage of nearly $10,000 was thus discovered, and the sum promises to be much larger, as all Hubbs' transactions are to be investigated.

It is said that Hubbs has left town.

THE THEATERS.

"The Inside Track" Is to Be Produced Tonight at the Oakland.

Tonight "The Inside Track" will be produced at the Oakland Theater in a manner that will reflect credit on the management. The drama is one of Oliver Doud Byron's best productions. The plot is based upon the rival loves of the nephew of an English curate and a member of the church who proves to be a scoundrel. The incidents are strong and interest from beginning to end. The full strength of the excellent company now playing at the Oakland, headed by Andrew Waldron and Jennie Calef is cast for the play. There will be a number of exceptionally clever scenic effects.

MARIE WAINWRIGHT.

The sale of seats for the Marie Wainwright engagement at the Macdonough theater will commence Thursday. Her engagement will commence on Monday night in "The Love Chase;" Tuesday, "An Unequal Match;" Wednesday, "Camille."

Golden Gate Notes.

Golden Gate, January 13.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Golden Gate Methodist church will give a pink tea in the parlors of the church, Friday evening at 5 P. M. Those who desire an excellent cup of tea, are cordially invited. All collections will go toward the support of the society.

Some of the young ladies of this town are endeavoring to start an athletic club for young ladies and girls. If they succeed it will be called the Golden Gate Athletic Club. They also speak of organizing a whist club.

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WHAT A WAR MEANS TO US.

America Should Try to Avoid all Quarrels With England.

WE ARE AS ONE PEOPLE.

A Conflict Would Mean Havoc to the Whole of Mankind.

CHRISTIANITY'S GOOD COUNSEL

A Sensible Address That Will Undoubtedly Strike Home.

A remarkably appropriate subject is treated this week in the Tribune's special sermon series, the theme being "The War Question—Our Responsibility as a Nation." It is by the Rev. Edward A. Horton, the distinguished president of the Benevolent Fraternity of Churches of Boston. His remarks are as follows:

"Ye are of the salt of the earth, but if the salt have lost its savor."—Matthew, v, 13.

If these words of Jesus were applicable to a little band of disciples, how much more fitting are they when applied to a government like ours, which has before it the ideal of a Christian republic This is a time when the full meaning of American citizenship should be made clear. As from a central sun, sending its bright rays everywhere, so should this great responsibility not only enforce duty, but shed inspiration.

Without any boasting we can truly say that the principles of our free, representative government are the salt of the earth. They are supposed to embody applied Christianity. The watchwords of Freedom, Justice and Brotherhood are stamped upon our charters. However much we may stumble and fall short, still the place which we ought to fill in the history of humanity is very clear. Nothing nobler has been set to the efforts of man.

But if the salt has lost its savor, then what? That is to say, in a time like this, the world looks eagerly to see whether we understand what we are set to do, whether we rise to the grandeur of our opportunity, whether we are guided by motives caught from the battlefields of the middle ages, or by precepts from the "Sermon on the Mount." If the salt of our laws and institutions loses its savor, then progress is defeated. In other words, if we go backward at a crisis like this to passionate conditions which we thought outgrown, then there is a sad indictment of human hopes.

The simple demand upon the American people at present is to remember. We must not forget what we felt sure had been gained through the century or two of our growth. Arbitration has been tested and found useful. It has been claimed by us that we should never engage in war for anything but self defense. The slaughter of our fellow men has been declared the worst calamity possible on this earth. Organized religion has reared its altars throughout the land and spread its messages of peace and good will. We must remember these things and many other cheering features, and allow self restraint to have her perfect work. There is a vast deal to be utterly thrown away if we engage in war, just at this time, as we approach the 20th century.

It is not in any spirit of cowardly submission that I say this. No one appreciates more than myself heroism in any department of life We know well that martyr stakes, dungeon damps and battlefield sacrifices have been necessary to establish the rights of man. But the question arises at this time: "Are we not far enough along to believe that, by exercising the spirit of Jesus, we may find it possible to have honorable peace in nearly every emergency?"

LOOK ABROAD.

The next duty is to act in a judicial spirit. We must look at things in the large. Our interests are not simply localized on one continent, but have spread out with intricate ties over the entire globe. Here we have built up a certain kind of civilization, in which prosperity sings through the music of loom and throb of the anvil. Industry has become an abiding friend here with us in the United States, never, we trust, to be drawn away by martial frenzy. Let us remember that we, as a nation, represent the advanced type of civilization. Are we able to sustain it along the lines our ancestors marked out? Puritan and Pilgrim and Cavalier all believed in the possibility of a government which might exist without the taint of old battle-time ferocity. If it is necessary to settle matters so frequently by warfare, then men at large would greatly prefer another kind of government, wherein these military things are done better.

We are not trained for the army and for battles; our education points toward peaceful pursuits. It would be putting the pointer on the dial of progress back a great many centuries if we rushed headlong into a conflict with England. It might seem at first as though a struggle of this kind would encourage new republics in other parts of the world; so it would, in a certain sense. But deeper down would be the fear and distrust, even in these sane little republics, as they saw our inability to carry out the fundamental principles of commonwealths.

Then we turn to Christianity which we have claimed finds its first full illustration on these shores. Here we say was planted the called grain seed of the truths which pledge for their harvest the "brotherhood of man." We have taken this thought and put it into our laws; built it into our hearthstones; woven it into our songs, and made it the pavement on which our daily traffic securely walks. If a peaceable, straightforward, friendly type of Christianity such as this cannot thrive, of course, we need to know it. But here is an opportunity now for us to resolve that the salt of our noble purpose shall not lose its savor If we, as a people, declare that we can accomplish our ends in a peaceful, yet firm, way, I fully believe it can be realized.

It must ever be borne in mind that we are only at the threshold of agitation. Those who are not thoughtful will imagine that the rumors of war, which have stirred our country to its depths, have ceased, and all is now clear; nothing could be farther from the facts. There are delicate questions of detail yet to be handled, which will require the greatest care and statesmanlike caution. It seems to me that the solving of such matters depends more upon the spirit in which they are handled than on technical knowledge and smart ability. If we, as a people, demand that, in settling the Venezuelan question, there shall be a steady purpose on the part of our representatives to deal calmly and broadly with the matter, that will surely bring the right result. If our Christianity is of such flimsy material that it cannot meet such a test as this satisfactorily, then we ought to bow our heads in shame.

THE TERRORS OF WAR.

I have not referred to the awful possibilities involved in a war between England and ourselves. I would like to feel that such a dire calamity is out of the question. Here is our white winged commerce flying with happy messages of good will from shore to shore; that would be swept from the seas. The ties that bind us with the mother country would be wounded almost beyond healing. The great heritage which we have from her of a common tongue, glorious memories and wonderful literature would be stained with the shame of carnage. There are probably no two nations that, once in battle with each other, could work so much havoc in the affairs of mankind.

Allow that Great Britain is sometimes overbearing, still we cannot deny that she is more acceptable to us than any other nation. Her institutions, ancestral sources and general attitude are more in harmony with our republic than any other strong continental nation. We ought to forgive much.

Our responsibility before the world has never been so great as at the present time. Everything depends upon the calmness and self possession with which we dignifiedly go through this trying ordeal. Let us put aside all small bitterness and rise to a sense of what we are and what is expected of us. I believe in the American people. They are at heart true patriots When it comes to the cannon's mouth as a matter of necessity, they are there, and the flashing of swords does not affright them. But peace is ever the motto of our industrious, God fearing, Christian communities.

No one would be quicker than myself to stand firmly against unChristian aggression. Let our sympathies go out fully to those who are trying to establish free governments. May the salt of our fraternal feeling never lose its savor through any timidity or negligence. But, on the other hand, let us act as though we had become mature, and were not children. Let us remember the spirit of Washington rather than that of Napoleon. It is Washington who serves as a guiding light, and it is Lincoln, the patient, considerate and long suffering soul, who shines beside Washington as a guardian spirit of the nation. Have we not come to a point in our history when it is far more heroic and grand to abstain from certain things than to rush into mad conflict?

BUSINESS IS ALARMED.

The true man of business sends up his petition that the slowly gathered fruits of honorable labor may not be swept away in a moment of rage. The ruler of many looms asks that the web of mercantile prosperity may still be woven amid the happy tokens of comfort. The genuine politician sees now the auspicious hour when he can guide the ship of state through troublous waters and act like a statesman. The high minded lawyer rises to the plane of arguments where humanity is his client. The journalist dips his pen in the sympathetic ink of wise caution and noble restraint. The minister of the gospel sees before him his Master who commands him to preach the "Golden Rule" and to exhort unto deeds of love.

Again, I ask my readers, of whatever position, if the salt of our Christian republic loses its savor at such a time as this, how can we hope to keep our place and influence amid the great opportunities of the twentieth century? There it was hoped that we should act a conspicuous and noble part. But we cannot do that if we enter it begrimed with the powder of battle and blinded by the smoke of passion.

I say this as one who served in the civil war. I say this as one believing in self respect for nations, as well as individuals. I say this as one realizing that the only real peace must be honorable. But this I say, after all has been declared—let us resolve together as a people that we will do everything in our power to maintain our fundamental principles as a peace loving nation. That we will put to shame, as far as we can, any grasping, crowding behavior from any nation by dignified, earnest protest. That we will demand arbitration and comply with its decisions. Then, indeed, we shall be as salt for the whole world. Then we can enter the twentieth century and take the leadership, as we ought, among the nations with natural and tranquil power.

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HE'S NOT AFRAID.

Rev. Edwards Davis Says His Parishioners Can Call on Him.

Rev. Edwards Davis preached in the Central Christian church yesterday and declared that despite the resolution of certain ministers to admit women to their studies only under certain conditions, he would still be pleased to meet members of his flock in his studio as formerly. "When the ministry," he said, "shall be muzzled because one dog has bitten, God will close our mouths from the utterance of his holy word; passions cannot be padlocked, and the man that is untrue in the darkness of the night can only deceive and thereby damn in the light of day."

ARMENIAN ATROCITIES.

Rev. C. H. Hobart Talks on the Issue of the Hour.

"Armenian Atrocities" was the subject of the address by Rev. C. H. Hobart at the First Baptist church last night. He took his text from John, 15.20. "If they have persecuted me they will also persecute you." Mr. Hobart told of the mutilation and torture of Christian men and women, the outraging and abduction of girls and children, the starvation so prevalent, the spoliation of the homes of the rich and poor, all owing to the cruel cunning of the Turkish Sultan, whose policy it is to exterminate the Armenian race. He asked what the people are going to do about it. The first thing that is practical is to raise funds to send to the distressed people. Miss Clara Barton, the head of the Red Cross Society, will go to the relief if $500,000 be raised. It was also necessary, he said, to create public sentiment on the subject.

NOT PETER, BUT CHRIST.

Professor Daniels Talks on the Foundation of the Church.

There was a meeting of the A. P. A. in Masonic hall yesterday which was attended by a large number of people. An address was delivered by Prof. P. E. Daniels. It was based on scriptural argument. He used the scriptures to show that the passages in those writings on which it is sought to build the supremacy of the Catholic church have been misconstrued by that institution and that it was not Peter but Christ himself who was the rock on which the church had been founded.

He read a number of extracts from Catholic publications and scouted the idea that the church could teach error. He spoke of his devotion to his country and closed by saying that America seemed to him to be like a magnificent diamond, rough and discolored when discovered by Columbus. In the hands of our forefathers the victories of Concord, Lexington and Bunker Hill polished and finished the stone. It is now the people's duty to place it in such a position and hold it so high that it will flash the light of republicanism and liberty throughout the world.

TO FOSTER OUR COMMERCE

American Manufacturers Are to Hold a Mammoth Convention.

Steps to Be Taken Towards Building Up International Trade.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—The convention of the National Association of Manufacturing of the United States to be held in this city January 21st to 23rd, is growing in so rapidly that C. S. Locke of New York City has been obliged to come to Chicago to lend a helping hand to Vice President John B. Kirk.

The secretary from Ohio reports that Cincinnati will send 300 delegates and the rest of the State will send as many more. Indiana and Missouri will send 250 each. It is estimated that 5000 manufacturers will be in attendance.

The association is non-political, non-partisan, and non-sectional, and has for its aim the general good of the manufacturers and the development of some plan, through legislative channels or otherwise, by which trade relations between the United States and foreign countries may be developed and extended.

It also desires to perfect some plan by which agencies may be established in such countries as China, Japan and the South and Central American Republics to enter into competition with products of European manufacture which now have practical control of these markets.

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PREPARING FOR A SIEGE.

Havana's Harbor Protected and Much Comment Created Thereby.

It Is Said Spain Is Anxious to Sell the Island to England.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—A special from Washington says:

"Torpedos are being planted in the harbor of Havana and heavy siege guns are being placed in position."

This was the private information received by the Cuban Junta and given out by Senor Rubens last night.

As the insurgents have not a ship afloat the inference is irresistible that Spain expects interference by the United States and is preparing to defend the capital from attack by sea.

Action by the United States looking to the recognition of the belligerent rights of the insurgents may be nearer than is generally expected.

It is stated on apparently good authority that President Cleveland's Venezuelan message was a double barreled affair which hits Salisbury in two places at the same time.

According to the secret treaty of the Cuban government, Spain is at the end of its resources and will have to suspend specie payments entirely within the next thirty days.

With bankruptcy staring it in the face, Spain it is said, made a proposition to sell the island of Cuba to Great Britain.

Lord Salisbury, it is intimated, according to Cuban authority, sounded the United States on the subject and the reply was President Cleveland's vigorous enunciation of the Monroe Doctrine.

The Senate committee on foreign relations has been holding several conferences of late.

Senator Davis of Minnesota, at the head of a subcommittee having the matter in charge, is now drawing up a formal definition of the Monroe Doctrine, at which expands the original declaration and makes it clear as the formal doctrine of the American Congress.

Those who claim to know say that this declaration is intended to meet both the Cuban and Venezuelan case.

As the dry season ends in March it is now said that if Spain does not succeed in stopping the rebellion by that time, the United States will certainly recognize the insurgents as belligerents.

The Cuban colony is in a ferment over rumors that recognition by the United States is at last at hand.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Little Florina Guido Meets With a Very Sad Fate.

The coroner held an inquest this morning on the remains of little Florina Guido, the 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guido of 1063 East Nineteenth street. The child was playing near a bonfire a few days ago and by accident fell into the flames. She received severe burns, but at the time it was thought her life could be saved. Dr. Foster called and treated the little one, but yesterday she succumbed to her injuries.

The jury rendered a verdict in accordance with the facts.

Anheuser-Busch for the Weary
Clear, cold, pure malt beer—the Anheuser-Busch Faust brew. A tonic for the sick and a system builder. Sold only at the Anheuser-Busch saloon, 477 Ninth street.

A Bad System.

A well-known citizen called at the Tribune office this morning and complained of the tardiness of the fire department. He stated that a fire at the corner of Linden and Sixteenth streets yesterday morning at 10:30 o'clock there was a great delay before the engines arrived and that there was apparently a deplorable lack of system.

LADIES' RELIEF SOCIETY.

Children Admitted to the Home Since October 1, 1895.

October 5th—Bertha Brooks, f., aged 10 years; Rebecca Thompson, f., aged 11 years; Jacob Thompson, m., aged 7 years; Ruth Thompson, f., aged 2 years. October 12th—Ernest Waage, m., aged 10 years; Elsie Waage, f., aged 7 years; Amy Waage, f., aged 2 years. October 19th—Lloyd Fisher, m., aged 11 years; Andrew Fisher, m., aged 9 years. November 19th—Bennie E. Lester, m., aged 5 years. November 29th—Nannette Woods, f., aged 6 years. December 3d—Genevieve Hopkins, f., aged 3½ months. December 6th—Robert James Hamilton, m., aged 5 weeks. December 10th—Robert Osborne Huskett, m., aged 9 years. December 19th—Leopold Waage, m., aged 4½ years. December 24th—Gertrude Lily Livingston, f., aged 3 years. December 28th—Ernest Carlton Blow, m., aged 6 years. December 30th—John Wesley May, m., aged 7 years; George Clarence May, m., aged 6 years.

JESSIE CAMPBELL,
Cor. Sec. L. R. S. of O.

Oakland, Cal., Jan. 3, 1896.

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STUDIES RESUMED.

Pupils From all Over the State Are Pouring Into Berkeley.

THE CLASS ARRANGEMENTS.

Registrations and Recitations Combined Under the New Rule.

SUFFRAGISTS ARE ON DECK.

Rev. Dr. Marshall Law Gets a Overhauling by Mrs. Partridge.

BERKELEY, Jan. 13.—College opened for the spring term this morning. Generally the first day is set apart wholly for registration of courses, but by a new rule of the faculty registrations and recitations take place at once upon the commencement of the spring session. Hence classes were called promptly at 8:25 o'clock this morning, in so far as the schedule has then set for that hour, and the work of the great University was formally begun.

Registration, as practiced now at Berkeley, is a unique process. The student receives a big brown printed card from the recorder or his assistant, upon which he places the names of the courses he wishes to pursue during the term. These courses he must first ascertain do not conflict with others he has signed for either in time of meeting or of final examination. Then the assistant puts the recorder's stamp upon the coupon attached to the card and which bears an abbreviated list of the subjects to be followed. With this coupon the student presents himself to the professors of the various courses he has selected, and is at once enrolled by them in their classes. Without the little brown stub the student cannot be admitted.

Train loads of students came in yesterday and this morning from the various parts of the State. The San Diego steamer brought up a large party from Los Angeles and all the southern parts. It will be several days, however, before all the stragglers are on hand, though the habit of coming back late is not so prevalent as formerly, owing to the stringent rules of the faculty regarding such delinquency.

THE SUFFRAGE SOCIETY.

The Citizens' Suffrage Society met this afternoon at Stiles Hall. There were a large number of women present with a sprinkling of men. The speaker of the occasion was W. H. O'Brien, manager of the Altruria colony in Sonoma county, who is at present stopping with his wife amongst Berkeley friends. While there he is making arrangements for type and presses to be used by the Altrurians in an educational campaign soon to be started for the enlightenment of the masses upon the principles of Altrurianism.

The subject of Mr. O'Brien's lecture was "Strong Points in Woman's Suffrage and the Liability of Failure Through Woman's Non-Acquaintance With Political Methods." The substance elicited much comment after the address had been delivered.

Mrs. William Keith read the paper she recently prepared for the Institute of Applied Christianity. A general discussion then followed upon the great central theme of the day for women, namely, "How to carry the State for suffrage in next fall's campaign." There was also discussion upon the paper that Professor Plehn of the University read before them at a previous meeting. It is expected of the Students' Congress that they will reopen the suffrage question decided a short time before the last term closed against the movement, and by a more accurate and fairer definition of the question offer another opportunity for further debate, as this next term is essentially the debating season, there being two contests with Stanford between now and next May, without doubt the champions of women will again have a chance to vent their logical eloquence.

GOES FOR DR. LAW.

Mrs. Clara Partridge has written a letter for the Berkeley Advocate in which she criticises the action of the Rev. Marshall Law of Oakland, who has announced that he will see no more women on any sort of business except in the presence of his wife. Mrs. Partridge thinks this is a reflection upon the average woman. She says, "It is certainly true, as Dr. Law states, that there is a sort of unhealthy sentimentality between some of the ladies of some churches and some pastors, but because one or two, or even half a dozen, instances of injudicious friendliness may be named, does it follow that all women are to be shunned and treated as villainous schemers, and all men, especially ministers of the gospel, to be isolated because they are too weak to meet women without losing their moral dignity or probity of character?"

TO SUCCEED COLEMAN.

Brewton A. Hayne has been appointed a director of the Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institute by Governor Budd to succeed the late John W. Coleman. As Mr. Hayne is the popular town attorney of Berkeley the appointment gives townsmen general satisfaction.

A RECEPTION.

Messrs. Winfield and C. T. Brehm were given a farewell reception at Miss Cora Fisk's kindergarten by their numerous friends last Friday evening. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Metcalf, Mr. and Mrs. Durgin, Mr. and Mrs. McMullen Mr. and Mrs. Captain Gage, Miss Cora Fisk, Miss Georgie Krause, Miss Jennie Kerrison, Miss Fuller, Miss Belle Meyers, Misses Eunice and Belle Van Housen, the Misses Gage, Miss Fanny Cook, Miss Perry, Miss McDermott, Charles Klein, Frank McClain, Fred H. Wilkins, Charles Gompertz, Walter Gompertz, J. F. Thompson and Mr. McDermott.

A QUAKERS' MEETING.

Mrs. Naylor preached at the Friend's church, on Ashby avenue in South Berkeley yesterday. The Friends, or Quakers, have been so successful in their place of worship to accommodate their increasing numbers. The society is holding a series of Quaker revivals at present, the first of the kind ever held in California. These are under the superintendence of J. H. Douglas, who has charge of all such yearly meetings in California. The society now has a membership of 2200. A dozen years ago it was organized in the State by a gathering numbering only twelve.

GENERAL GOSSIP.

The University grounds lighting fund, which the people of Berkeley are expected to raise and which amounts to $1000, is very slowly getting up toward the limit. One hundred and seventy-five dollars has thus far been raised over and above F. M. Wilson's $500. This leave $325 yet to be subscribed.

William Ellis, retiring chaplain of Durant lodge, 268, of the F. and A. M., received a handsome rocking chair from the lodge in recognition of his age and past services at the last meeting of the lodge.

The new dog ordinance raises the yearly license from $1 to $2. The poundman is instructed to catch stray geese and give them up to owners only after they have paid 25 cents per goose and 10 cents per day they are impounded.

John Perkins is slowly recovering from the pistol shot of Albert Meuzenmeyer, though he still has no feeling in his left arm and hand. It is rumored Mrs. Meuzenmeyer has offered to compromise the case for $1000.

The Berkeley High school Forum has decided that England is wrong in her present attitude toward the United States in the Venezuelan matter. Messrs. Parker and Good appeared in behalf of John Bull. Messrs. Warren and Simonds defended the United States.

Fred Fonzo has been found guilty of selling liquor against the law. Instructor Colby of the viticulture department of the University said the stuff raided was liquor and a verdict of guilty was promptly rendered.

The Order of Ralstonites is soon to be established in Berkeley. At a meeting called for the first Tuesday of next month the organization will be perfected.

TO RAISE THE STANDARD.

The Board of Health Proposes to Wake Up the Milkmen.

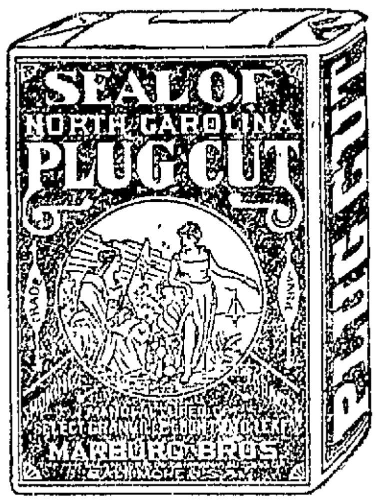
Beneficial Results From the Recent Raids Are Already Noticed.

Nearly all the members of the Board of Health are in favor of raising the test rate in the present milk ordinance. The San Francisco rate is to be raised in a few days to 3 1-5 per cent and it is the opinion here that Oakland should have better milk than the city across the bay. The pasturage is better and the expense of marketing the milk is less. Three and two-fifths per cent is the rate proposed here.

"Even 3 per cent," says Dr. Mayon, "is doing good, and I think goes far towards raising the standard. If you have noticed since the first raid there has been a general advance in the quality of the milk. The inspectors caught a dairyman one morning whose milk went down to 2 3-5 per cent. Of course it was thrown out and the fact published. A day or so afterwards another test was made from the same wagon and none of the milk went under 3 3-5. That is only one case. But it seems to me to show the tendency the ordinance has."

Dr. Pierce says the milkmen are wily, and are buying their own milk testers. One of them asked Pierce to purchase one for him yesterday. Whether this interest on the part of the dairymen augurs good or bad is a question. The health department are inclined to believe that the milkmen will use the machines to be sure not to water their milk too much and thereby render themselves liable to arrest.

There have been but two complaints from the milkmen and both of these were selling milk below the standard. Their complaint was not so much at having their milk tested as it was that the result of the test should be published.



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60c—LADIES' BLACK CASHMERE HOSE, - - formerly 75c
25c—CHILDREN'S BLACK COTTON HOSE, Sizes 6 to 8½ formerly 35c
35c—CHILDREN'S BLACK COTTON HOSE, Sizes 6 to 8½ formerly 50c

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Ladies' Ribbed Natural Wool Vests and Drawers (good value) - - 75c each
Ladies' All-Wool Vests and Drawers, worth $1.25 each, closing at - 85 each
Children's Ribbed Merino Vests and Pants in colors, White & Natural, to close 50c each
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Gent's Fancy Trimmed Muslin Nightshirts marked to - - 60c each

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REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS

FRIDAY, JANUARY 10, 1896.

T. J. and H. C. Carroll et al, by commr, to Commonwealth M. B. & L. Assn. N Patrick or 25th st 702-8 E San Pablo av E 75 x N 112, lots 1, 2, 3, Mitchell tract, map 2, $2562.

W. B. Mandeville to Victorine de Labrousse, W Oakland av 55 N Moss av N 50 x W 126.25, lot 11, blk H, Flint tract, $100.

J. F. Volger to Margaret A. Volger, N Park av where same intersects W Horton st distant 2282 W from W San Pablo, av N 175 W 133 S 50 E 79-6 S 125 E 52-6 to beg, being a sub plot 6 Ro V and D Peralta; N Auburn av or 47th st 372 E San Pablo av E 129-6 N 203 W 129-6 S 206, ptn lot 3, Coggeshall tract; N Park av 51-6 W Horton W 53 x N 125, lot 2, blk 25, Emery tract, $1.

Mary J. Veitch to James E. Crane, lots 2 to 5 blk E, Broadway Terrace, Q. C. D., $5.

William and Elizabeth Kircher to Antonio Avila, W Shattuck av 126-24 N Merced av N 35 W to D boundry line lot 14, blk B, Brumagin tract, the S to a pt which would be intersected by a line drawn W from pt of com and parallel with Merced av th E to beg, ptn lot 11, blk B, Brumagin tract, $10.

Hugh H. and Mary E. Dobbins to J. George Gardner, N Rose 160 W Spruce W 50 x N 127, blk 14, Berryman tract, Q. C. D., $10.

H. M. and Mary S. Allen to H. Hanser, subs 1 and 2 of lot 6, blk 24, Daleys Scenic Park tract, $10.

Theodore and Ida Wagner to The Realty Syndicate, 10 acres beg at a pt in line div plots 61 and 66, Ro V. and D Peralta at SW cor of NW ¼ plot 65 th NW 10.02 chs x SW 10 chs, portn plot 64 Ro V and D Peralta, known as the Vista del Mar tract; E Sacramento 342 19 N Bancroft way N 506.24 x E 129.25 lots 17, 19, 22, 23, 26, 27, 30 and 31, blk 2, Spaulding tract, $10.

Jean B. Ginot to Virginia A. Ginot, the E ½ of NW ¼ and NW ¼ of NW ¼ Sec 30, Tp 4 S, R 4 E, gift.

Fred G. and Ella Weston to C. P. Kern, S Jones st 200 W Telegraph av W 60 x S 100, ptn lots 12 and 14, corrected map, Jones tract, subj to mtge for $3000, $10.

A. E. Severns to Eldri Johnson, lot 8, blk D, J. E. McElrath tract, $5.

Pacific States S. L. & B. Co. to Frank A. Silva, lot 17, blk B, J. W. Crawford tract, $1600.

John J. and Sarah E. Lyon, by sheriff, to H. T. Armstrong, S Sutter 140 E Lowell E 40 S 160.05 W 40 N 159.47, lots 5 and 11, blk E, J. E. McElrath tract, $1000.

Laurent Huerstel to Thomas S. Mathewson, lots 1 and 2, blk 40, town SE 637.43 NE 1890.50 NW 2528.52 to beg, of Encinal, $10.

Thos. S. Mathewson, admr est Thos D. Mathewson, to J. J. O Farrel, same, $100.

Thos. S. Mathewson to same, same, $10.

J. C. and Thomas D. McCraith et al to same, lot 3, blk 10, lands adjct to Encinal, Q. C. D., $10.

H. C. Campbell and T. B. Kent, trs for James D. Smith, Nellie and James Sutherland, to S. F. Savings Union, W Oakland av at NE cor lot 52, th NW 1859.75 SE 726 SW 300.30 to E line county road Pleasanton to Dublin th SE 112.32 being lot 52 less 2.60 acres off the S side thereof, map of Oakland Land and Impt Co., sub Santa Rita Ro, Pleasanton, $6230.

S. F. Savings Union to H. P. Chadbourne, same, $10.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 11, 1896.

Margaret Carroll, by commnr, to Jos. Lancaster, N 39th 160 E Grove E 40 x N 100 ptn lot 15, Montgomery tract N 1, $974.

Jos. and Elizabeth Lancaster to W. J. Oakes, same, $1000.

Jeremiah and Harriet O. Tyrrel to W. E. Proctor, N 39th st 335-6 W Telegraph av W 42-6 x N 100, ptn lkh 2080, map of est John Evoy in plot 36, $10.

W. A. Knowles et al, by commnr, to Lester W. Faesting, und ½ of 3½ acres beg at NW cor lands of Mrs. Rich th NW 2.98 chs NE 11.68 chs SE 2.98 chs SW 11.65 chs to beg, ptn V Peralta reservation, $3519.

Mountain View Cemetery Association to Rosina Williams, lot 229 in plot 14, said cemetery, $177.

E. H. and Calista H. Congdon to Anna H. E. Hale, W Grant 125 N Virginia st 25 x W 125 ptn lots 3, 4, 17, blk D, Ed th tract, $10.

J. A. Patton to J. K. Stewart, W Delaware and California N 135 x W 100, ptn lot 1, blk 4, Teachers' State University Hd Assn, Q. C. D., $1.

Daniel J. and Margaret Coughlin to Hellen C. Shellard, S Delaware 110 E Hamlin E 40 x S 135, being the E 10 ft of lot W sub of range 8, Hardy tract, $10.

Mary J. Moss et al. to Miss A. F. Keefer lot 3, blk R, amended map Moss tract, $10.

Same to Mary S. Pullman, lots 2, 3, and 4, blk F, Moss tract, $10.

W. E. and Erminia Dargie to P. Lavorel and A. Pagge, lots 245 and 246, Rose tract, $5.

Mary Russell to George D. and Mary A. Russell, EW Briggs av 250 SE High st SE 50 x SW 203, lot 40, Briggs tract, gift.

John C. and Annie M. Spencer to D'Arcy M. and Kate E. Cashin, beg at a pt 290 NW from NW 24th av and 150 NE E 19th st SW 50 NW 160 to E 23d av th N to its intersection with line drawn parallel with and distant 150 NE from NE E 19th st th SE 165 to beg, blk T, sub 50 associates tract, $10.

Walter J. Stewart et al, by commnr, to National Home and Loan Assn, S E 28th st 275 E 21st av S 140 E 166-6 N to S E 28th st W 107 to beg, lots 12, 13, 14 and 15, blk 91, Northern addn to Bklyn, $4231.

Charles A. and Lutie A. Tyrrel to Jeremiah Tyrrel, re-record of 456 d 284, N 39th 335-6 W Telegraph av W 42-6 x N 100, lk 2080, map of est John Evoy in plot 36, $10.

William J. and Virginia R. Dingee to George W. and H. P. Brusseau, re-record of 576 d 332, 1 acre beg at SW cor lot 21, sub Piedmont Heights th SE 1.73 chs NE 6.59 chs to center Edith st th NW .09 ch NW .62 ch SW 6.67 chs to beg, ptn lot 21 sub ptn Piedmont Heights, $5.

G. W. and Henrietta P. Brusseau to William J. Dingee, lot 21, sub ptn Piedmont Heights, except 1 acre described in previous deed, Q. C. D., $5.

Cyrus E. and Elida A. Ellis to the Realty Syndicate, .09 of an acre beg at N cor lot 24 sub ptn Piedmont Heights th SW .79 ch SW 2.48 chs NE 3.22 chs NW .24 ch to beg, of public road, $5.

L. C. and Miriam Morehouse to F. A. Koottz, lot 64, Elmhurst tract, map 2, $5.

Samuel L. and Annie P. McGill to Emery E. George, E Minturn 211 S Railroad av S 32-6 x E 88, lot 13, sub of lot 32, Fassking Park, subj to a mtge, $10.

John F. and Ellen E. Hankins, to Jno. Petsche, S Railroad av 210.07 E 3d st E 30 x S 135, lot 8, blk B, resub Haight tract, $10.

Myra Decker to Mrs. F. H. Ross, S Washington 100 E High st S 100 th E 35 S 20 W 35 N 20 to beg, ptn lot 8, blk 36, Q. C. D., $1.

William J. and Virginia R. Dingee to the Realty Syndicate 74.20 acres com at most N corner plot 29, sub Rancho V and D Peralta thence SW 13.50 chs to center McAdam st th SE 3.50 chs SE 6.97 chs th leaving McAdam st and following center Marion st SE 80 links SW 1 ch SW 7 chs SE 3 chs SE 2.81 chs to center Bellevue av th SE 1 ch SE 2.18 chs SE 2.50 chs SE 4.05 chs SE 4.32 chs SE 2.20 chs SW 2.00 chs SW 2.30 chs SE 1.09 chs E 8.29 chs SE 2.10 chs SW 70 lks SE 9.10 chs NE 2.20 chs NE 2.50 chs NE 2 chs SE 2.50 chs SE 1.65 chs NE 2 chs SE 1 ch SE 1.50 chs SE 1.70 chs SE 68 lks NE 1.03 chs NW 4.40 chs NW 5 chs NW 5 chs NE 33 lks NW 11.50 chs NW 22.18 chs to center extension of McAdam st th NE 68 lks SE 1 ch NW 10.40 chs to beg, ptn plot 29, Ro V and D Peralta, 9.70 acres com at most E cor lot 15 in center Bellevue av th SE 1 ch SE 2.75 chs NE 6.80 chs SE 4.19 chs to center county road No. 1109 th SW 2.18 chs SW 28 lks SW 41 lks SW 45 lks SW 1.13 chs SW 29 lks 3.14 chs SW 1.10 chs SW 2.89 chs in leaving road NW 12.61 chs to SE line lot 15 th NE 1.20 chs to beg, ptn plot 29 Ro V and D Peralta; 2.36 acres com at most S cor lot 21, map of Piedmont Heights th NW 3.15 chs NE 6.59 chs to center Edith st th SE 2.53 chs SE 82 lks th leaving said st SW 15.50 chs to beg, ptn Piedmont Heights; 76.11 acres, being lots 1, 2, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 20 and 22, map Piedmont Heights; 2.24 acres com at most W cor of lot 4, Piedmont Heights, th NE 7.16 chs to center Bellevue av th SE 58 lks SE 1 ch SE 88 lks NE 1.51 chs SE 24 lks th leaving said av SW 5.76 chs to center Edith st th SW 3.69 chs NW 3.51 chs to beg ptn Piedmont Heights; 1.87 acres com at most W cor lot 8, Piedmont Heights th NE 4.13 chs SE 3.02 chs to center of Bellevue av th SW 5 lks SW 2.30 chs SE 80 lks th leaving said av SW 1.96 chs to beg ptn Piedmont Heights, $5.

TOWN TOPICS.

There will be a meeting in the First Presbyterian church tonight to discuss the Armenian atrocities. Addresses will be delivered by a number of clergymen.

When the Baby Is Cutting Teeth

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Deposits July 1, 1895.............. 4,835,357 30

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Harriet A. Sears, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc. Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Harriet A. Sears, deceased, and for the issuance to Lizzie Sears Gerberding and Egbert B. Stone of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court and that Monday, the 20th day of January, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 1, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, Oakland, January 3, 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.

Reed & Nusbaumer, attorneys for petitioners.

RAILROADS.

Southern Pacific Company

Trains Are Due to Arrive and Leave

—AT—

SIXTEENTH STREET STATION.

Leave — From November 25, 1895. — Arrive

7:00 a Atlantic express, Ogden and East .... 8:04 p
7:30 a Benicia, Vacaville, Rumsey, Sacramento and Redding via Davis .... 6:39 p
8:04 a Martinez, San Ramon, Napa, Calistoga and Santa Rosa .... 6:45 p
8:37 a Los Angeles express, Raymond (for Yosemite), Santa Barbara and Los Angeles .... 4:39 p
9:37 a Martinez and Stockton .... 10:04 a
2:01 p Port Costa and way stations .... 7:34 p
4:06 p New Orleans express, Fresno, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, Deming, El Paso, New Orleans and East .... 10:04 a
4:06 p Santa Fe route, Atlantic express for Mojave and East .... 10:04 a
4:34 p Martinez, San Ramon, Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga, El Verano and Santa Rosa .... 8:45 a
4:35 p Benicia, Vacaville, Woodland, Knight's Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento .... 10:14 a
6:36 p European mail, Ogden and East .... 9:13 a
7:36 p Vallejo .... 7:14 p
7:36 p Oregon express, Sacramento, Marysville, Redding, Portland, Puget Sound and East .... 10:14 a
10:37 p Sunset Limited, Fresno, Los Angeles, El Paso, New Orleans and East .... 12:30 p

NILES ROUTE.

First Street Near Broadway.

Leave — From November 25, 1895. — Arrive

9:02 a Niles, San Jose, Stockton, Ione, Sacramento, Marysville, Red Bluff and Oroville .... 8:37 p
9:02 a Hayward and Milton .... 6:41 p
1:32 p Niles, San Jose and Livermore .... 8:07 a
6:12 p Niles, San Jose, Livermore and Stockton .... 6:41 p
6:33 p Haywards, Niles and San Jose .... 7:07 a

SAN LEANDRO AND HAYWARD.

Seventh Street Near Broadway.

Leave — From November 25, 1895. — Arrive

[illegible] To Melrose, Seminary Park, Fitchburg, Elmhurst, San Leandro and Haywards. [illegible]

SANTA CRUZ DIVISION.

Fourteenth and Franklin Streets.

Narrow Gauge.

Leave — From November 25, 1895. — Arrive

8:15 a Newark, Centerville, San Jose, Felton, Boulder Creek, San Cruz and way stations, Gilroy, Tres Pinos, Watsonville, Pacific Grove, San Luis Obispo, Guadalupe and way stations .... 6:44 p
2:15 p Newark, Centerville, San Jose, New Almaden, Felton, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz and principal way stations .... 11:14 a
5:15 p Newark, San Jose and Los Gatos .... 0:44 a
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1:55 P. M.	1:45 P. M.
5:50 P. M.	4:20 P. M.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

8:25 A. M.	9:15 A. M.
10:25 A. M.	10:15 A. M.
12:25 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
1:55 P. M.	1:45 P. M.
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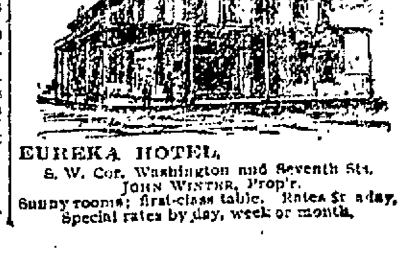

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AS OTHERS SEE US.

Political machinery is being put in working order for the campaign, and the first move will be made by the Republicans next Tuesday, when the executive committee will meet for the purpose of fixing a date for a meeting of the full committee. Oakland is mentioned as a candidate for the place of holding the next State convention, and an early and intelligent effort should be made by the Republicans of this county to bring the convention here. There is not a city in the State more accessible than Oakland, and this fact should have some weight with the committee in selecting a place. Of its ability to handle a State convention in a proper manner there can be no question, and delegates and others will find that they are well treated. As a strong Republican city in a strong Republican county, it is entitled to consideration at the hands of the party. So far, Sacramento, San Francisco and Santa Cruz are the only places mentioned as being in the field for the convention, and Oakland can easily lead these in the point of desirability.—Haywards Review.

Senator Perkins wishes to encourage settlers in Alaska, and to this end wants the law as to proof of taking up government land changed. "The present law compels claimants and their witnesses to visit Sitka in order to make final proof. This has been a very great hardship, for claimants and witnesses are at Portland, San Francisco and other parts in California, and even in the East. A journey to the neighborhood of the north pole is, therefore, a hardship and has materially interfered with securing patents to Alaska lands. Mr. Perkins' bill provides that testimony may be taken wherever and when witnesses may be conveniently found, but it is provided that land offices anywhere may take and receive testimony. The measure, moreover, confirms all entries already made on depositions taken outside of Alaska.—Vallejo Chronicle.

Oakland has entered the meanest-man-on-earth contest, and is to the front with one who beats his bride of six months while he prays, and for a change feeds her on bread crusts while he makes a meal of oysters.—Haywards Review.

The Oakland Tribune keeps up with the best of journalism, and its New Year's edition was an excellent one, rebounding to the credit of its zealous proprietors.—Solano Republican.

The street orator is becoming a familiar figure in Alameda. His grazing ground, time out of mind, has been Oakland, and he has not heretofore strayed to this field in quantity. Is this the beginning of a scheme to make Alameda just like Oakland, so that annexation will come easy? We must have a care to this.—Alameda Argus.

STATE NUGGETS.

A man was tried before an Oakland jury on a charge of murder. The jury found him guilty of manslaughter. Therefore the judge set the verdict aside and ordered a new trial. Here arises the old question concerning the function of a jury. Is its power necessarily anything more than fictitious? The jurors are sworn to try the case and a true verdict give, so help them God. What is the use of hearing the evidence if their verdict must stand or fall at the pleasure or will of a man other than themselves? If the judge has the power of setting aside verdicts, is not the jury somewhat of a farce, or, at best, a fiction somewhat pleasing to our notions of liberty? Why not have judges act as both court and jury in deed as well as in effect. If juries are mere imposing shadows of authority, we pay too much for the shadow.—Fresno Republican.

The Oakland Exposition has been incorporated and henceforth will be a yearly event in the life of our sister city. That shows a good spirit, and one which will bring Oakland and Alameda county more prominently before the world.—Alameda Argus.

On account of Rev. Dr. Brown's sad plight several Oakland clergymen have resolved to keep their studies closed against sisters unless they are accompanied by male escorts. The Oakland women are so insidious.—Fresno Republican.

The Supervisors of Contra Costa county have appointed a committee to take steps to remove the county hospital from Martinez. The board has assigned no reason for removing the hospital, but one of the members stated that it would be cheaper to maintain the hospital at a distance at least ten miles from town.

An action has been brought in the Superior Court of Contra Costa county for a permanent injunction to restrain certain parties from hunting on swamp or overflowed land. The case differs from the one brought by the Cordelia Shooting club against the Mallard club, and which was decided by Judge Buckles. In Contra Costa county the plaintiff is the owner of the land, whereas, in the Solano county action, the lease was not an exclusive one and granted a license only for forty members of the Cordelia club to hunt.

Martinez has begun to discuss the question of celebrating the Fourth of July.

The people of northern Solano county have determined to petition the Legislature of 1897 to annex to Yolo county a large area of the land of the former county. Much preliminary work is even now being done, and the interested persons are confident that they can convince the State Congress that they are entitled to the relief prayed for. R. B. Armstrong, the well known Davisville rancher, states that one Solano county man has informed him that he has $2000 to expend in the effort, and another gentleman has promised to contribute $1000 to the fund.

HIS GRIP IS TOO TIGHT.

The Stakeholder in a Prize Baseball Game Is in Demand.

Victorious Owls Unable to Secure the Booty of the Contest.

There is distress among the "Owl" baseball nine of West Oakland. They won a hot game yesterday from the "Syndicates" at the new grounds, corner of Eighteenth and Peralta streets, by the notable score of 16 to 0. The feature of the game was the "welching" of Governor Dowd, the stakeholder and umpire. Dowd had $16.50 in his hands, but when the Owls went around for a settlement the Governor had disappeared and there was an immediate and unanimous hoot from the victorious bird of the night.

Dowd was located finally with a crowd of the rival club's members enjoying the delights of divers "steams" at a nearby resort. The Owls were too late to participate. They have submitted their protest to Judge Casey, a well-known West Oaklander, who combines the study of Blackstone and Kent with the piloting of an express wagon. Casey proposes to apply for a writ of mandate to compel the Governor to relinquish the stakes, but Dowd says he will settle with the victorious Owls when he renders his decision on the game as umpire.

THE ALDRICH TRUST.

Attorneys Not Yet Ready to Proceed With the Contest.

The contest commenced some weeks ago in the Superior court by William Holt Aldrich to annul the trust created by his father, William A. Aldrich, did not start today in the Probate court. The account of the trustees of the trust was on the calendar in Judge Greene's court, but a continuance was granted for one week by consent of the counsel.

Aldrich has attacked the account on the ground that the trust is invalid under the terms of the recent decision of the Supreme court in the Walkerley estate matter. Aldrich also claims that fraudulent representations were made to his father to induce him to tie up the share of the estate which would have gone to him.

LITERARY NOTES.

Donahoe's Magazine starts out the year charmingly and the high standard of the previous issues is undoubtedly to be maintained. The illustrations are good and there is a diversity of literature that cannot fail to reach all. A charming article on Saint Anne D'Auray is made the more readable by a variety of appropriate pictures.

Music for January presents as a frontispiece a fine portrait of Miss Ellen Beach Yaw. A wide range of subjects by expert writers keeps the reader acquainted with the very latest occurrences in the musical world.

The next volume of Macmillan's series of "Illustrated Standard Novels" will be Disraeli's "Sybil."

The New Year's greeting of Jenness Miller Monthly brought by the January number of this popular magazine is a particularly happy and auspicious one. Under new editorial management a number of innovations have been made in the plan and scope of the magazine, which is now devoted to the all encompassing field of Women, Home and Society. From cover to cover there is not a dull word in the magazine, even the advertisements showing the artist's hand in the charming illustrations scattered through their alluring declarations. The illustrations of the magazine proper, from the cover, representing a most picturesque Dutch skating scene, to the original photographs which usher in the photographic competition for prizes in gold—destined to be one of the most interesting features of the year—are especially attractive because of the personality involved in them.

Mr. Joseph Jacobs, the well known antiquarian scholar, has in press under the title "Jewish Ideals and Other Essays," a work of great interest. In it he discourses on such varied topics as the Jewish diffusion of folk-tales, the London Jewry, Mordecai of "Daniel Deronda," as a typical Jew, Browning's theology from the Jewish point of view, the solution of the "Jewish Question," the legends concerned with little St. Hugh of Lincoln, the poet Jehuda Halevi, and many other subjects of equal interest.

The January number of "The Progress of the World" Magazine is, as usual, filled with crisp, up-to-date and instructive articles. In its department of "Scientific and Mechanical Progress" a very interesting description is given of the electric plow, that has come into use in Germany. The article on "Mechanisms of Compressed Air" shows the varied uses of that wonderful power at the present day, and a paper by Dr. S. Millington Miller describes some hypnotic experiments just made, that prove the existence of a marvelous magnetic influence between two widely separated persons. Progress of the World, 156 Fifth avenue, New York.

Kate Douglas Wiggins has written an excellent article for the January issue of Table Talk, on "Shall Our Daughter Study Kindergarten," and it is followed by the usual departments so helpful to housekeepers and home makers alike. Besides the many good recipes to be found in its pages, an article on "Market News" will be most useful to all who are not sure of the best piece of meat to buy for certain dishes. "Twelfth Day," and its entertainments; "Nursery Hygiene," "Wedding Fads and Fancies," "Lace and its History," "Father Time's Reception,"—one suitable to New Year's Day, the latest fashions of the day, etc., are dealt with. Table Talk Publishing Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

The Ellis Estate.

Charles J. Ellis of Sacramento applied today for letters of administration upon the estate of his father, Charles Ellis, who died in Oakland last Thursday. The estate consists of a lot in East Oakland and some personal property all valued at $3,000.

An Estate Distributed

A decree of final distribution was made today by Judge Greene in the estate of Susan E. Caffyn, who died on February 5th, 1892. The estate consists of real property and several thousand dollars' worth of personal effects.

Clerk Vose Is Ill.

R. C. Vose, clerk of department 3 of the Superior court is confined to his home at San Lorenzo by a severe attack of tonsilitis. He has been forbidden by his physician to leave the house for several days.

FORGING AHEAD.

Charles Appeldorn, the Wine Merchant, Achieving Success.

Readers of the Tribune who have read the cut rate wine announcements of Charles Appeldorn, the Washington street wine merchant, must have been impressed with the unusually reasonable prices therein quoted.

Mr. Appeldorn buys for cash and that along with his superior knowledge of good wines, is the secret of his bargain rates. He is forging ahead as one of the leading liquor merchants of the town and his many friends are gratified at his success.

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Bartlett, May	Baxter, Mrs Alice Brown
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Bellair, Miss S	Bergen, C B
Berry, George	Bishop, H W
Bond, L	Booth, Frances
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Dennen, R L	Diggles, Mrs
Dixon, Mrs	Donovan, W J
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Goodrich, Mrs Julia L	Golden, Mrs
	Gorden, Chas W
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Green, Frank	Green, Cullen & Co
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Hagman, Lina	Halsey, Norman S
Hamilton, Mrs M F	Hanson, A J
Hansen, Magdalene	Hanson, Dora
Happ, Becky	Happ, D
Harding, May	Harrison, Miss E T
Hand, Mrs Mary O	Heardl, Tomas
Healy, Mrs Sarah T	Helse, Mr
Henderson, Mrs W	Herren, J H
Herman, J	Hewes, C G
Hill, Lauretta	Holt, Marion
Hopkins, H L	Howks, L J
Hoyt, John	Hughes, Ethel
Hughes, Miss Floy V	Huezey, A M
Hyland, James P	Hynes, Mrs W
Jeffry, Walter	Jenkins, Miss M
Jewell, Mrs Edward	Jensen, Louis
Jimirson, Mrs Hilda	Johnson, Annie
Johnson, Hanna	Johnson, W N
Johnson, Walter Andrew	Jones, Mrs Charles
	Junsola, Hilma
Katz, Hulda	Kaarsberg, S C
Keith, Lulu	Kessler, Mrs Martha
King, H J	
Lang, Phil	Lawson, Annie
Leauers, Jno	Lewis, Mrs Bell
Lindsay, Mrs E B	Lippitt, Miss Augusta T
Lanning, Mrs R T	
Lyons, B C	Lynch, Mrs Thomas
Marsh, C E	Martin, Miss Nina
Martin, George A	Martin, Thos C
Mason, Mrs W A	May, Mrs Edith H
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McLaughlin, Owen	McNicol, Donald
McPherson, Mrs H A	Metcalf, Charles D
	Mitchell, W A
Molloy, Jane	Moore, C O
Moore, Lillian	Morse, James
Morrill, Willie	Murry, Mrs
Meyers, Mrs F H	Meyers, Mrs Alice
Nelson, H	Norris, Albert E
Norris, Mrs Lizzie	Notte, George
Oliver, A T	Orth, W J
Orgden Bros	Overton, Mrs
Partington, Miss Ollie	Partington, Ollie
Parker, Mrs Z	Parker, Geo
Payne, Mrs H C	Paurell, Mrs John
Peterson, Fred	Perkes, Augustus C A
Pierson, Mrs J J	Pierre, Josephine
Porterfield, Jas C	Poston, Miss Brownie
Powers, James	
Pratt, Cuthbert	Pratt, C
Pyles, Ethel	
Quigley, K T	
Reesing, Henriette	Riley, Spurgeon V
Robinson, Mrs	Rosin, Miss Manda
Rowe, Mrs E J	Russell, Mrs Luis C
Ruppert, W F	Russell, J F
Ryals, Mrs W F	
Sauer, Mrs J	Scannell, Mrs Walter S
Schuller, Clara	
Silva, Antonio Luiz de	Smyth, Henry Lloyd
	Smith, Mrs Eva
Smith, Mrs Carrie Z	Smith, Mrs C A
Smith, Miss O B	Smith, Mrs Sofie
Snow, Mrs W S	Speetzer, Mrs
Stern, Gosline	Stearns, W S
Strom, Oliver	Stewart, H F
Sturtevant, Mrs M J	Suhr, John C
Taggart, Mrs C J	Tavares, Joas Jacintho
Taylor, Miss Vera	
Terp, Andrew	Thomas, Mrs Letha
Thomas, Miss	Tringer, R S
Trauch, L G	Tyler, George
Tullotte, Melle	
Van Zandt, C	Veary, Sarah
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Secretary Noel H. Jacks of the Y. M. C. A. this morning secured the refusal of the First Congregational church for the Treble Clef-Marquardt Concert tomorrow night, for should the weather be fair the indications point to an attendance beyond the capacity of the association auditorium. The ladies of Mrs. Marriner-Campbell's quartette have many friends here, and the music loving public in general have appreciated the effort to close the season with a great musical treat.

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Public Administrator's Report.

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W. H. Knight, Public Administrator of county respectfully makes this return of all estates of decedents which has come into his hands for the term commencing July 1, 1895, and ending January 1st, 1896, in accordance with the provisions of Section 1736, Code of Civil Procedure of California.

Number of Estate	Date of Issuance	NAME OF DECEDENT.	Approximate Value of Estate as Far as Ascertained	Money Which Has Come Into the Hands of the Public Administrator	Fees, Expenses, Funeral Expenses, Debts, Family Allowances, Paid by the Public Administrator	Balance of Money on Hand	Administrator's Fees Paid	Remarks.
	1895.							
4327	May 13.	T. J. Walsh						In litigation.
4367	July 8.	Elizabeth L. Cook						In litigation.
4371	July 17	Franciska Haag	$ 150 00	$ 3 70	$ 3 70			
1382	July 23.	Jane Williams	1,249 08	149 08	129 00	$ 20 08	$50 00	
2619	July 31.	William P. Clark	2,259 50					
4397	Aug. 6.	Catherine Mann	7,661 00					All real estate.
4405	Aug. 12.	Andrew Gram	1,161 50	1,161 50	478 07	683 23	78 00	
4414	Aug. 20.	John Keller	1,210 90	1,210 90	180 54	1,030 36		
4413	Aug. 29.	William H. Scott						
4453	Sep. 3.	George M. Francis	28,049 56	1,545 17	563 72	981 45		
4422	Sep. 5.	John Curry, special						
4423	Sep. 16.	Frank W. Canniff						Undetermined interest in residue of estate.
4300	Sep. 16.	Louisa K. Gwynn	600 00					In litigation.
1142	Sep. 30.	Gustav Johnson	226 80	26 80	20 00	6 80		
4447	Oct. 8.	William F. Cashman						Contest pending.
4476	Oct. 8.	Frank X. Fischer, special						
4476	Oct. 21.	Frank X. Fischer	10,000 00	5,841 38	2,977 75	2,863 63		
4453	Nov. 4.	John F. Herrick						Letters issued for litigation.
4477	Nov. 11.	N. J. Connelly						In litigation.
4480	Nov. 11	George W. Taft						Contest pending.
4498	Nov. 12.	F. G. Gallagher						In litigation.
4499	Nov. 12.	E. G. Gallagher						In litigation.
3908	Nov. 12.	John Brady						In litigation.
1507	Nov. 18.	Dina Y. Saks	2,655 25	2,655 25		2,655 25		
4493	Dec. 2.	Augusta Hartvig	400 00					
4529	Dec. 9.	W. B. Lewis	214 50	61 50		61 50		
1579	Dec. 16.	Andrew Patterson						Undivested interests in real estate.
4560	Dec. 16	James McKeown						Not yet received.
4542	Dec. 16.	A. J. Alver						Character of estate undetermined.
1551	Dec. 30.	Sarah J. Duffy						In litigation.
		Total	$55,828 88	$12,658 08	$ 4,352 78	$ 8,305 30		

State of California, County of Alameda, } ss.

W. H. Knight being first duly sworn according to law deposes and says that he is the Public Administrator of said Alameda County, that the foregoing is a full, true and correct return of all estates of decedents which have come into his hands for the estates hereinbefore named; that he is not and was not at any time interested in the expenditures of any kind made on account of any estate he administered nor is he associated in business of otherwise with any one who is so interested.

W. H. KNIGHT.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3d day of January, A. D. 1896.

F. J. WOODWARD,

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WASHINGTON ECHOES

A Glance at Congress and a Few Pointers About the Session.

CALIFORNIA IS DOING WELL.

Her Representatives Placed on Some of the Best Committees.

A CALL ON THE PRESIDENT.

How Speaker Reed Neatly Met the Administra ion's Star Play.

Special Correspondence of The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—The customary lull has succeeded the storm, and the condition of things about here today would seem to justify one taking that old chestnut down from the shelf, "All quiet on the Potomac," trim up its whiskers and introduce it as exactly expressive of the situation.

Congress has practically taken a recess until next Monday, and as announced by Mr. Dingley, the Republican leader in the House, no legislation of any kind will be thrown into the hopper until then.

It is true that the House meets today at high noon and promptly at the minute you will see the great, lumbering form and roguish, funny-looking face of Tom Reed enter from the door at the right of the chamber, and after ascending to the speaker's desk rap the House to order with the gavel the old "sojer" boys of Vallejo hewed from one of the timbers of Farragut's flagship Hartford. And it is also true that you will see a good-sized handful of people scattered among the 360 desks with heads bowed down in silent supplication waiting to receive the perfunctory blessing from the good old blind chaplain; but if you are on to the little game you would easily understand that this is one of the nice little schemes in line with that other one of turning the clock back the members have when they want to get home to enjoy their New Year's turkey.

The Speaker hardly waits until the chaplain is through with his prayer and the member entrusted with the duty has moved that the House adjourn until Monday, January 6th when he puts the question and announces "the ayes seem to have it, the ayes have it, and the House stands adjourned until Monday, January 6th."

Of course I don't want you to infer and I don't propose to intimate that the members of the California delegation are remotely interested or are parties in any way to any such a transparent deception, for every man will be in his seat ready and anxious to respond to his country's call, if it is only to vote for an appropriation of $500,000 for a postoffice for Oakland, or $200,000 for a similar building for Alameda, but I don't suppose it is violating any confidence if I tell you in a low whisper and you keep mum about it, that they are a long way from home.

CLEVELAND'S STAR PLAY.

President Cleveland can say at last he has done at least one act during his most unfortunate administration that has met with a popular response—sending his message to Congress on the Venezuelan question. With the exception of a few Anglo-phobites, money-maniacs and choice collection of New York preachers who have a less regard for the national honor than they have for the measure of coin in their contribution plates, every last son of Adam from Maine to California was fairly shouting, "Go it, 'Old Ducks,' we are with you." Unionists and Confederates, Northerners and Southerners, Republicans and Democrats, were united for once at least and ready and eager to have another whack at the detested red coats from across the sea.

But all this talk of war, over John Bull's bulldozing and looting tactics in poor little helpless Venezuela has about gone glimmering. Already cunning old Salisbury is rubbing all the remaining hairs off his big bald head in trying to conjure up some scheme so he won't altogether choke to death when he swallows the bitter dose Uncle Sam has prepared for him. But he knows he has got to take it whether he wants to or not, and the shrewd old fox who has been playing the game of diplomacy for a half of a century knows better than anyone else the absolute necessity of delay so that the temper of the American people can have time to cool off.

The suggestion and appointment of a commission by Cleveland to inquire into and arrive at all the facts in regard to the Venezuelan boundary has helped him out of about the deepest hole he ever got into. There is no certainty when this commission will report, but from what has been intimated it is not supposed that it will conclude its labors for from four to six months.

John Bull could not ask for anything better than that, and if he does the right thing he will come to the rescue of this administration's bankrupt treasury and offer to defray all the expenses and throw Canada in to boot. Secretary of State Olney has all the facts and knows all about this case and all the necessary data and papers have been on file in the State Department for months, showing beyond any question that the Schomburck delineation is a myth and that the English contention is founded on pure and unadulterated gall and nothing else.

A committee of Congress could have been appointed and inside of a week, if they had only worked fifteen minutes a day, just as certain and satisfactory results could have been obtained as will be had by this $100,000 commission with all of its incident frills and buncombe paraphernalia. The final result of this whole business will be that Venezuela will pay a nominal sum for committing certain overt acts in violation of international law, get all the territory she has contended for, and more than she can properly handle, and Englishmen will throw up their hats and howl "God save the Queen" for having achieved another glorious diplomatic victory and saved the proud name of old England from being smirched.

But of all the snubs that England is getting just now from almost every quarter the note of Emperor William of Germany to President Kruger of the Transvaal is decidedly the worse. That looks like rubbing it in. Just think of it, England for centuries has been subsidizing a lot of German relatives of the Queen for no other earthly purpose than to secure at least the moral if not the physical support of that country in the event of any trouble arising—just such as the present one—and then have the German bankers, with the consent, of course, of the government, stand ready to take our loan, and then at the same time to see the ungrateful but impulsive young Emperor twist his grandmother's nose. By the shades of my ancestors who didn't come over in the Mayflower it is too infernally bad, and it makes the little drop of my mother country's blood that is supposed to linger in the end of one of my big toes boil with indignation when I think of it.

A DEMOCRATIC STOP.

But the funniest part of all this hullabaloo is taking place right here in Washington. No sooner had the purport of the President's message penetrated the thick skulls and congested brains of the Democratic minority in the House than they commenced to prick up their ears and show some signs of visible life. Some of the old mossbacks who were so stunned by the great national calamity—as they call it—of last November and were never tired of "cussing" Cleveland for causing it, suddenly became exceedingly valuable in shouting his everlasting praise. After the session was over you could hear them in the corridors of the capitol discussing the situation and exclaiming in stentorian tones: "Yes, sir, by gud, sir, Cleveland, sir, is the greatest living American, by gud, sir. Why, sir, in my State, sir, the grand old commonwealth of Virginia, sir, if Mr. Cleveland, sir, is before the people, sir, at the coming election, sir, we'll give him 100,000 majority, sir, by gud, sir. Yes, sir, Mr. Cleveland, sir, is the greatest living American, by gud, sir."

There is no concealing the fact—for a time it did look as if the occupant of the White House held the joker and both bowers, and that the Republicans would simply have to fall in and follow suit, but they forgot to take the unsophisticated Thomas Brackett Reed of the State of Maine into consideration.

Thomas Brackett is somewhat resourceful himself, and when they get him into a corner he always manages to wobble out some way or other. When he was appealed to by some of his friends to know what was going to be done, Thomas simply winked his other eye and kept on sawing wood; but Thomas lost no time in getting his "trolley" into good working order.

That same evening he called his lieutenants together and told them that our good President must be sustained at all hazards in his patriotic efforts to maintain the principles of the Monroe doctrine and incidentally our national honor. The best and only way to do that was to fill up his ample coffers with hard, bright shekels, which could and must be done by increasing the tariff on imported goods. Having settled that to Thomas' satisfaction, he told them that Mr. Carlisle's gold reserve was in a most deplorable condition and must be brought up to tide water mark without any delay. This he proposed to do by providing for a popular loan on the very lines that the Secretary had previously advised — a low denomination five year bond at 3 per cent interest.

When the Democrats saw that the Republicans were prepared to see their bluff, and were going to play the game on their own lines to a show-down, they did just what everybody supposed they would do when they are out-maneuvered and circumvented—go off in a panic, charging their victorious foes with taking advantage of their country's distress by re-imposing the robber tariff. If Cleveland wants the money as badly as he says he does, and no one doubts it, he must take it on Republican terms or not at all.

I had an opportunity yesterday of gratifying my curiosity, and one that is not very often vouchsafed to an ordinary mortal. That so, I was not slow to take advantage of it. While paying his respects to the President on New Year's day with other Congressmen, Mr. Hilborn was invited by President Cleveland to call up and see him. Mr. Hilborn asked me to accompany him, not knowing whether the rigid rules excluding the public would be so far relaxed as to allow me to enter the sacred portals or not.

We presented ourselves at the White House about 11 o'clock, and, as the President was engaged at the moment, Secretary Thurber filled in the short time we had to wait by telling us what an excellent commission the President had appointed on the Venezuelan question, and some other comments in praise of the course his chief had recently adopted. As soon as the room was clear, the Secretary, very unexpectedly to me, ushered us both into Mr. Cleveland's presence.

The President got up and came forward very pleasantly, extending his hand, and invited us to be seated. He swung his chair around toward the window, crossed his legs and at once gave me the impression, which I soon found to be correct, that he was glad to talk to some one who was not importuning him for a favor. He put me at my ease at once, and I listened to him tell of his experience in receiving the crowds on New Year's day with a good deal of pleasure. He is a very free and interesting talker, and before the twenty minutes were up that we were there, I came to the conclusion that I would like to make one of his party on a fishing excursion or a duck shoot.

While the President and Mr. Hilborn were talking over some official matters, Secretary Carlisle stepped in, but immediately retreated, saying he would take a seat in the outer room and wait until we were through. This was a sufficient hint for us to draw our interview to a close.

On departing, the President again arose and extended his hand. I was very much surprised at his appearance. He has evidently taken on considerable flesh since I last saw him, and his face which was then the color of parchment, is as ruddy and healthy as a well fed gourmand. Cleveland evidently is a long way from being a sick man, as ont is led to believe from some of the reports that are circulated.

THE HOUSE COMMITTEES.

Speaker Reed, in selecting the committees of the House, has been especially generous and kind to California. Two chairmanships for the Golden State, while the great States of Ohio, Indiana and Illinois have only one each, and many more with much larger population not even one, is convincing proof that the Speaker still remembers the attachments he formed for the great Pacific State and its importance as an integral part of the Union.

But Mr. Hilborn, of all the members of the delegation, was by far the best taken care of. His assignment on two of the very best committees of the House, Naval Affairs and Public Buildings and Grounds, and in both instances at the head of the list of new assignments, was an honor that even a member of long service might well be proud of.

He is now in a position where he can be of some use to his district and his State, and it goes without saying with those who know of his practical way of doing things and his determination to get what he goes for, that Oakland will at this session get an appropriation for a postoffice, and so will Alameda, if any cities do.

Congress meets on Monday for social business and from then for the next five or six months the Republicans will prepare the way to put the country on its legs again. J. C. BOATMAN.

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MURDER CRIES OUT.

All Oakland Is Interested in the Massacres in Armenia.

Editor Tribune: Sir—With regard to the proposed mass meeting to be held Monday evening (tonight) to denounce the Armenian massacres, a few pertinent criticisms thereof may not be amiss.

Considering the moral tone and professedly religious and humanitarian spirit of church going and God worshiping people of this ethical and religious community, where so many societies and aggregations of inquiring minds regularly meet to discuss economic social and national questions, where churches abound and associated charities annually dispense thousands of dollars with good cheer to alleviate local destitution—I say does it not show unquestionably heartless procrastination, not to say downright indifference on the part of our preachers, God's ordained chosen few, to have delayed the discussion of this subject so long. Ah God! how the hearts of nations have been wrung at these barbarities, which have been scarcely paralleled since Saint Bartholomew's Day or the slaughter of the innocents. Where have been the "leading citizens," the city officials, the prominent men of this fair city during the past month that we have not had a sympathetic expression of opinion in mass meeting ere this late day?

Latest authentic dispatches place the number of Armenians slain at 50,000 persons, mostly men. A great host. Well may we have shuddered and sent in resolutions of stern condemnation of this carnage to our Congress several weeks ago. When a mass of Christian people equal to five-sixths of our city population have been killed in ruthless slaughter, though it be in a foreign land, why have we so long delayed in our formal expressions of sympathy? Great mass meetings have been held in many principal cities of the Eastern States weeks ago, aye, a month ago, loudly denouncing these outrages, and their influence has been made manifest, as witness the recent action taken by Congress in the matter by keeping a fleet of war vessels in readiness in Turkish waters "to give a moral effect to such urgent demands on Turkey as the government might determine upon."

Shame, shame upon us. Surely we must be a community of stoics to thus have remained silent while rivers of blood have flowed. May God forgive our impassiveness while we ponder anew the old truth, "Man's inhumanity to man makes countless thousands mourn."

BROAD-AX.

Oakland, Jan. 12, 1896.

Kindergarten Work.

The regular monthly meeting of the board of managers of the West Oakland free kindergarten was held Friday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Robert Watt, corner of Fourteenth and Madison streets. Several new subscribers were reported, and it is earnestly hoped the coming year will bring many sympathetic friends who will be willing to render material aid to the good work so steadily growing.

Zeigler Signed.

The announcement is made by David G. Shafer, manager of the Syracuse racing team, that Otto Ziegler, the "little demon," will join the team this season. A deal has been closed with him and Ziegler will go into training at once. The team will make a tour of the State as soon as the season opens.

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A Lucky Discovery That Prevented a Huge Midnight Blaze.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—Isaac D. Kramer one of the proprietors of a wall paper store, No. 2311 Cottage Grove avenue, is under arrest charged by the police with an attempt at arson.

He is accused of having used oils, shavings and a candle to construct the groundwork for a fierce midnight fire in the big Marathon flat building near Twenty-third street and Cottage Grove avenue.

Had it not been discovered by the janitor, Charles Eisle, the occupants of 39 flats would have been subjected to danger by fire or suffocation, and the owners of twelve stores would probably have been burned out.

About midnight Friday night, as Eisle was making his rounds he noticed the odor of oil near the store of Kramer Bros.

There was a light burning in the store and the air had a hazy or bluish appearance inside the store.

Eisle, having no key, went to the home of Isaac D. Kramer, near by, and as he was not at home left word for him to come at once to the store and himself called at the engine house next door.

A fireman went with him and they gained access to the store by the use of an ax. They found the faucets of two gasoline barrels open and 104 gallons of fluid already run out on the floor.

At this moment Isaac D. Kramer arrived and at once declared there was "something behind it all," and suggested a search of the basement.

The search revealed the whole plot. In the center of the room were found three cans of oil, open.

Between them was a pile of excelsior saturated with oil, and on top of the shavings was a small board upon which was found a lighted candle burned down to within an inch of the board.

The board was rough and thoroughly saturated with oil, and the excelsior was scattered over it in such a manner as to insure its taking fire.

An explosion would have followed in a few minutes. The matter was reported to the officials of the fire department and an investigation was made which resulted in the arrest of Kramer Saturday night on a charge of attempted arson.

He gave bond in the sum of $20,000 and was released. Kramer says he is not guilty and believes the whole thing was done by an enemy of the janitor.

HOW TO ATTAIN SUCCESS

Attention Called in an Artistic Way to Our Many Mistakes.

Lessons That Oaklanders Will do Well to Take to Heart.

The following able paper on "Some Elements of Success" was read at the last meeting of the Ebell Society:

"The true prosperity of a city is dependent on growth in many directions,—keeping pace with the development of its many worlds,—of its moral world; of its intellectual world, of its business world, running through each the great strand of a common human element.

"The simplest of all these worlds is the business world,—that world which man rarely chooses for himself, but in which fate has placed him, because life means work, and man must not only live himself but must earn a livelihood for those dear to him, for those dependent upon his efforts. The prosperity of Oakland! Its material prosperity, its commercial prosperity is so dependent on its business world, that world which has never yet had a fair chance, because it is so close to the larger business world across the bay,—because the larger tends to absorb the lesser always,—and the struggle of our merchants for existence has not always been properly appreciated. One reason for it too, is that many of our homemakers have business interests across the bay, and have not given that vital attention to commercial Oakland which she had a right to expect from her citizens. But it is through our business people that there will be a quickening of the commercial life of the town;—the first element to their success is the loyalty of the people back of them,—the devotion to home industry, the determination to patronize it,—to stand by it at all hazards.

"It is not a narrowing policy in any way, it is only rendering that simple justice to our business people that they have a right to expect at our hands. They have had a hard time in these latter days of the financial depression; these many merchants have helped out bravely when they could; they have had to carry many a family safely through, when they could most ill afford the added burden. Our women are loyal,—they show it everywhere, the great woman world, with its included child world, will stay on its own side of the bay during the coming year,—the Oakland woman with outstretched hands, will greet the Oakland merchant bringing to him that plenty, which will mean for him the first element of success.

"There is nothing like a thorough awakening. The depression has hit hard all around. Prosperity is rarely a teacher, it takes adversity to send a lesson squarely home. As a community we have learned our lesson, and having learned it we are ready to stand by our business world, with a great hearted generosity, with a womanly good will that will make a business tide flow over our city such as she has never heretofore known in all her history.

"Oakland means 'home' to us all, let us be fair, just, generous,—giving a great, friendly encouragement to our merchants, our manufacturers. It may be only a little that each one of us can do—but it is the aggregate that counts,—the personal effort of each one tells in the ultimate success.

"Commercial Oakland! With good fortune to it my sisters,—she will reach her true greatness, when to help her there is put forth the true woman effort,—the one sure element of success.

"It is intellectual Oakland, of which many of us have been most proud in the past, which has been the distinguishing characteristic of our city,—it is its high standard which we care to keep up,—which should be the pride of its women; a city is of value in proportion to its intellectual advancement.

THE PRESS.

"Woman's work should be along many different intellectual lines;—in the first place she should exert what influence she may in endeavoring to shape the policy of the modern newspaper. For by way of the newspaper lie many strong elements of intellectual success. The great daily paper—the one great literary lever—full of interest because through it one may feel the great pulse of the world, the great heart throb of humanity. Here are clearly shown the heights to which a man may climb, the depths to which he may fall. It is the great teacher, the great preacher to the multitude, its power growing greater day by day in a public which believes in its freedom.

"But the daily newspaper does not reflects the best elements in life for the most part—it is a history of a day always, but rarely the true history of the great middle class that make up the bone and sinew of a community.

"It should be the effort of each woman who is the home center to see to it that only those newspapers whose tone is moral should find entrance in her home,—she should lift her voice in the land, in a fervent prayer for a newspaper that may not lower the moral tone of her growing boys;—for newspapers in the home that may not bring the quick flush to her face, as she sees her daughter open it in the morning.

"If women would try for it they could succeed in getting something approaching an ideal newspaper,—the newspaper that speaks out honestly, earnestly what it knows to be true. The world has a right to much more of each good man than it is getting at present. Intellectual strength in a community lies only in a free interchange of thought,—from it comes breadth—a universal sympathy. Women could obtain it if they asked for it loudly enough, a newspaper which would show strength along culture lines, which would reflect the finer elements of life, which would catch a glimpse here and there of the flashing spark which men call genius, which would reflect sometimes the rare tender tie running through humanity marking the brotherhood of man.

"Intellectual development has little to do with all this modern sensationalism, which is hindering the cause of justice, making fair trial's difficult things to obtain in our free land; modern journalism showing a strange picture, a mad chase after so-called "scoops"—till the woman of today cries out against it all, and pleads where she can for a journalism that shall represent truly at least the ordinary life of a great American people. Take some interest in trying to elevate wherever possible the daily press,—stand by all those papers which shall truly represent Oakland's interests, and lo, running firmly through Oakland life,—a great strong element of success! One characteristic of Oakland is the close relation between its intellectual and social life;—while developing a social life on a high plane, the women of Oakland are finding time to study as well,—making the character growth remarkable, bringing a breadth, a strength, a true depth to the society world, which one is not accustomed to see in perhaps larger cities.

"There is no need to speak before you all of the work along social and intellectual lines of the Ebell society;—its recent achievement is still fresh in your mind,—the impetus given to thought, to trade, in our city, in our State, by the spontaneous work of a brave little band of women. Well may our men look in wonder at the effort, at the result—well may it be said far and wide in the city—an element of its success,—"The Ebell Society."

"The growth of the moral world, commensurate with the growth of all the other worlds,—more than that—a moral element which weaves itself about, into and through all other worlds.

"Nor knowest thou what argument,
Thy life to thy neighbor's creed has lent"

—the essential element to success, the growth of a great humanitarian principle, which draws one close to his fellow man,—which makes him sympathize with his efforts,—which makes him infinitely tender with his brother because he divines the pathos in his life, because together they reflect the infinite divinity of God. An element of success,—the broad love of humanity, in itself the love of God,—a breadth of faith in one's fellow man which knows no fear,—a great religion based on the universal brotherhood of man,—which is bounded by no creed, by no sect, bounded only by the all-protecting, infinite love of God. Faith in the goodness of the great world, belief in its truth, in the facts of life,—a certain knowledge that things are ordered wisely and well,—with that line of thought running through life, a great strong element of success is assured.

"Belief in ourselves,—faith in ourselves as a people,—a confidence unshaken in the great future lying before the city so dear to our hearts—that of itself would be a powerful element of success in the future prosperity of Oakland. That city has a sure safe element for good when it can gather together a company of earnest women, whose theme for discussion shall be—how they may best aid in advancing the prosperity of the city where they have made their homes.

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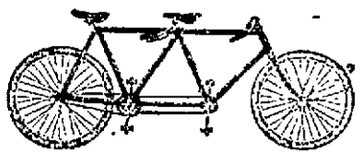

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CULLINGS IN THE COUNTY

Notes of General Prosperity in the Interior Towns.

Personals, Business Notes and News of a Thriving Section.

The following are the latest happenings throughout the county:

Haywards.

The dispute as to the boundary between the Petermann estate and D. S. Smalley has been settled, and Geary and Grindell, as a consequence, intend to proceed with work upon their new stable.

Prof. Loss of Oakland has succeeded Miss Susie Hobart as teacher of elocution in the schools.

The Review says Haywards offers excellent inducements to chicken raisers and it has been a matter of surprise to many that the business has not been taken up by more people.

The poundmaster is exterminating and imprisoning untagged and vagrant canines.

The Review says that travel on the Southern Pacific local train to Oakland is much lighter than it was during the summer and it has been rumored that the service would be reduced.

The Journal says that the trustees of Laurel school district will soon have to take action to secure more school room, because at the present time all the rooms are crowded, more especially in the lower grades.

Haywards will have no delinquent tax list to publish this year. Of the $7,600 levied all of this amount except $5 or $6 has been paid, and the small amount outstanding will be all settled before the time to publish the delinquent list arrives.

Livermore.

Miss Christensen will reopen her kindergarten Monday, January 20th.

Three men in a boat ordered Chris Pape to desist fishing at Lake Chabot a few days ago. Pape did not heed them, whereupon they fired three shots in his direction. Pape then brought his revolver into action and the boatmen rowed out of danger.

The Journal says that the prolonged cold has knocked the early pea crop in the head.

The League of Progress is most enthusiastic. It has already aroused public sentiment to the necessity of replacing the old sidewalks of the town with walks of artificial stone, and the trustees have started in on the work by advertising for bids on walks of that kind on Lizzie street from First to M. A Berkeley contractor has advertised to do the work for 9¼ cents a foot.

The midwinter edition of the Herald will appear Saturday next. It will consist of at least twenty-four pages and will illustrate the town and Livermore valley.

M. Luders, the well-known rancher, fell from the top of a thirty-five foot haystack a few days ago, broke several ribs and was badly bruised about the head.

San Leandro.

The Bank of San Leandro is in a prosperous condition and has re-elected the old directors.

The Oakland, San Leandro & Haywards electric road is having a new fuel saving invention placed on its furnaces. It is a small and simple contrivance, which forces a jet of steam through the coals from beneath the grates, giving a heavy draught.

The citizens in the vicinty of the South San Leandro station assembled at the station on Sunday and were photographed by their popular photographer, Mr. Downing.

Mt. Eden.

In the fight between principal Rowlands of the Mt. Eden school and Trustee Meininger the people of Mt. Eden have taken a hand. On the 5th inst. they held a mass meeting. With respect to the charges of Mr. Meininger that the re-election of Rowlands as principal of the school was part of a conspiracy to ruin him politically; that Rowlands fought him and did his best to defeat him at the last June election for trustee, and also that Rowlands charged him with spending much time loitering about saloons, the following was adopted:

"Resolved, That we, the citizens and taxpayers of this district, and patrons of the school in mass meeting assembled, do declare the above charges false and untrue, and are made by Mr. Meininger to gratify his personal spite against Mr. Rowlands, and to ruin his character if he can, and is an insult to the people of this community, more than nine-tenths of whom signed a petition requesting the trustees to retain Mr. Rowlands as teacher, and whom we declare would not have attached their names to that petition had he been guilty of loitering about saloon. Therefore be it further

"Resolved, That we declare Mr. Meininger as school trustee does not represent the interests of his constituents, and request that he resign his office."

Mt. Eden has the football fever and we expect to see a strong team organized there. Chas. Jaycox, Victor Owen and others have the matter in hand.

During the past year there was about 42,000 tons of salt manufactured and about $6,000 worth of improvements placed in the salt works. The laborers at the works, however, receive only $1 a day and have to pay their board and lodging out of that sum.

A mass meeting in the interest of social purity was held yesterday afternoon and evening in the First Baptist church at Stockton. Mrs. Sarah C. Sanford of Oakland was the chief speaker.

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AS OTHERS SEE US.

Political machinery is being put in working order for the campaign, and the first move will be made by the Republicans next Tuesday, when the executive committee will meet for the purpose of fixing a date for a meeting of the full committee. Oakland is mentioned as a candidate for the place of holding the next State convention, and an early and intelligent effort should be made by the Republicans of this county to bring the convention here. There is not a city in the State more accessible than Oakland, and this fact should have some weight with the committee in selecting a place. Of its ability to handle a State convention in a proper manner there can be no question, and delegates and others will find that they are well treated. As a strong Republican city in a strong Republican county, it is entitled to consideration at the hands of the party. So far, Sacramento, San Francisco and Santa Cruz are the only places mentioned as being in the field for the convention, and Oakland can easily lead there in the point of desirability.—Haywards Review.

Senator Perkins wishes to encourage settlers in Alaska, and to this end wants the law as to proof of taking up government land changed. "The present law compels claimants and their witnesses to visit Sitka in order to make final proof. This has been a very great hardship, for claimants and witnesses are at Portland, San Francisco and other parts in California, and even in the East. A journey to the neighborhood of the north pole is, therefore, a hardship and has materially interfered with securing patents to Alaska lands. Mr. Perkins' bill provides that testimony may be taken wherever and when witnesses may be conveniently found, but it is provided that land offices anywhere may take and receive testimony. The measure, moreover, confirms all entries already made on depositions taken outside of Alaska.—Vallejo Chronicle.

Oakland has entered the meanest-man-on-earth contest, and is to the front with one who beats his bride of six months while he prays, and for a change feeds her on bread crusts while he makes a meal of oysters.—Haywards Review.

The Oakland Tribune keeps up with the best of journalism, and its New Year's edition was an excellent one, rebounding to the credit of its zealous proprietors.—Solano Republican.

The street orator is becoming a familiar figure in Alameda. His grazing ground, time out of mind, has been Oakland, and he has not heretofore strayed to this field in quantity. Is this the beginning of a scheme to make Alameda just like Oakland, so that annexation will come easy? We must have a care to this.—Alameda Argus.

STATE NUGGETS.

A man was tried before an Oakland jury on a charge of murder. The jury found him guilty of manslaughter. Therefore the judge set the verdict aside and ordered a new trial. Here arises the old question concerning the function of a jury. Is its power necessarily anything more than fictitious? The jurors are sworn to try the case and a true verdict give, so help them God. What is the use of hearing the evidence if their verdict must stand or fall at the pleasure or whim of a man other than themselves? If the judge has the power of setting aside verdicts, is not the jury somewhat of a farce, or, at best, a fiction somewhat pleasing to our notions of liberty? Why not have judges act as both court and jury in deed as well as in effect. If juries are mere imposing shadows of authority, we pay too much for the shadow.—Fresno Republican.

The Oakland Exposition has been incorporated and henceforth will be a yearly event in the life of our sister city. That shows a good spirit, and one which will bring Oakland and Alameda county more prominently before the world.—Alameda Argus.

On account of Rev. Dr. Brown's sad plight several Oakland clergymen have resolved to keep their studies closed against sisters unless they are accompanied by male escorts. The Oakland women are so insidious.—Fresno Republican.

The Supervisors of Contra Costa county have appointed a committee to take steps to remove the county hospital from Martinez. The board has assigned no reason for removing the hospital, but one of the members stated that it would be cheaper to maintain the hospital at a distance at least ten miles from town.

An action has been brought in the Superior Court of Contra Costa county for a permanent injunction to restrain certain parties from hunting on swamp or overflowed land. The case differs from the one brought by the Cordelia Shooting club against the Mallard club, and which was decided by Judge Buckles. In Contra Costa county the plaintiff is the owner of the land, whereas, in the Solano county action, the lease was not an exclusive one and granted a license only for forty members of the Cordelia club to hunt.

Martinez has begun to discuss the question of celebrating the Fourth of July.

The people of northern Solano county have determined to petition the Legislature of 1897 to annex to Yolo county a large area of the land of the former county. Much preliminary work is even now being done, and the interested persons are confident that they can convince the State Congress that they are entitled to the relief prayed for. R. B. Armstrong, the well known Davisville rancher, states that one Solano county man has informed him that he has $2000 to expend in the effort, and another gentleman has promised to contribute $1000 to the fund.

HIS GRIP IS TOO TIGHT.

The Stakeholder in a Prize Baseball Game Is in Demand.

Victorious Owls Unable to Secure the Booty of the Contest.

There is distress among the "Owl" baseball nine of West Oakland. They won a hot game yesterday from the "Syndicates" at the new grounds, corner of Eighteenth and Peralta streets, by the notable score of 16 to 0. The feature of the game was the "welching" of Governor Dowd, the stakeholder and umpire. Dowd had $16 50 in his hands, but when the Owls went around for a settlement the Governor had disappeared and there was an immediate and unanimous hoot from the victorious bird of the night.

Dowd was located finally with a crowd of the rival club's members enjoying the delights of divers "steams" at a nearby resort. The Owls were too late to participate. They have submitted their protest to Judge Casey, a well-known West Oaklander, who combines the study of Blackstone and Kent with the piloting of an express wagon. Casey proposes to apply for a writ of mandate to compel the Governor to relinquish the stakes, but Dowd says he will settle with the victorious Owls when he renders his decision on the game as umpire.

THE ALDRICH TRUST.

Attorneys Not Yet Ready to Proceed With the Contest.

The contest commenced some weeks ago in the Superior court by William Holt Aldrich to annul the trust created by his father, William A. Aldrich, did not start today in the Probate court. The account of the trustees of the trust was on the calendar in Judge Greene's court, but a continuance was granted for one week by consent of the counsel.

Aldrich has attacked the account on the ground that the trust is invalid under the terms of the recent decision of the Supreme court in the Walkerley estate matter. Aldrich also claims that fraudulent representations were made to his father to induce him to tie up the share of the estate which would have gone to him.

LITERARY NOTES.

Donahoe's Magazine starts out the year charmingly and the high standard of the previous issues is undoubtedly to be maintained. The illustrations are good and there is a diversity of literature that cannot fail to reach all. A charming article on Saint Anne D'Auray is made the more readable by a variety of appropriate pictures.

Music for January presents as a frontispiece a fine portrait of Miss Ellen Beach Yaw. A wide range of subjects by expert writers keeps the reader acquainted with the very latest occurrences in the musical world.

The next volume of Macmillan's series of "Illustrated Standard Novels" will be Disraeli's "Sybil."

The New Year's greeting of Jeannette Miller Monthly brought by the January number of this popular magazine is a particularly happy and auspicious one. Under new editorial management a number of innovations have been made in the plan and scope of the magazine, which is now devoted to the all encompassing field of Woman, Home and Society. From cover to cover there is not a dull word in the magazine, even the advertisements showing the artist's hand in the charming illustrations scattered through their alluring declarations. The illustrations of the magazine proper, from the cover, representing a most picturesque Dutch skating scene, to the original photographs which usher in the photographic competitor for prizes in gold—destined to be one of the most interesting features of the year—are especially attractive because of the personality involved in them.

Mr. Joseph Jacobs, the well known antiquarian scholar, has in press under the title "Jewish Ideals and Other Essays," a work of great interest. In it he discusses on such varied topics as the Jewish diffusion of folk-tales, the London Jewry, Mordecai of "Daniel Deronda," as a typical Jew, Browning's theology from the Jewish point of view, the solution of the "Jewish Question," the legends concerned with little St. Hugh of Lincoln, the poet Jehuda Malevi, and many other subjects of equal interest.

The January number of "The Progress of the World" Magazine is, as usual, filled with crisp, up-to-date and instructive articles. In its department of "Scientific and Mechanical Progress" a very interesting description is given of the electric plow, that has come into use in Germany. The article on "Mechanisms of Compressed Air" shows the varied uses of that wonderful power at the present day, and a paper by Dr. S. Millington Miller describes some hypnotic experiments just made, that prove the existence of a marvelous magnetic influence between two widely separated persons. Progress of the World, 156 Fifth avenue, New York.

Kate Douglas Wiggins has written an excellent article for the January issue of Table Talk, on "Shall Our Daughter Study Kindergarten," and it is followed by the usual departments so helpful to housekeepers and home makers alike. Besides the many good recipes to be found in its pages, an article on "Market News" will be most useful to all who are not sure of the best piece of meat to buy for certain dishes. "Twelfth Day," and its entertainments; "Nursery Hygiene," "Wedding Fads and Fancies," "Lace and Its History," "Father Time's Reception,"—one suitable to New Year's Day, the latest fashions of the day, etc., are dealt with. Table Talk Publishing Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

The Ellis Estate.

Charles J. Ellis of Sacramento applied today for letters of administration upon the estate of his father, Charles Ellis, who died in Oakland last Thursday. The estate consists of a lot in East Oakland and some personal property all valued at $3,000.

An Estate Distributed.

A decree of final distribution was made today by Judge Greene in the estate of Susan L. Caffyn, who died on February 5th, 1892. The estate consists of real property and several thousand dollars' worth of personal effects.

Clerk Vose Is Ill.

R. C. Vose, clerk of department 3 of the Superior court is confined to his home at San Lorenzo by a severe attack of tonsilitis. He has been forbidden by his physician to leave the house for several days.

FORGING AHEAD.

Charles Appeldorn, the Wine Merchant, Achieving Success.

Readers of the Tribune who have read the cut rate wine announcements of Charles Appeldorn, the Washington street wine merchant, must have been impressed with the unusually reasonable prices therein quoted.

Mr. Appeldorn buys for cash and that along with his superior knowledge of good wines, is the secret of his bargain rates. He is forging ahead as one of the leading liquor merchants of the town and his many friends are gratified at his success.

Timid women may be frightened half to death at the sight of a simple, harmless mouse, but she seldom is afraid to take the awful risk of getting married.

Prospective Tenant—But we wish to keep a servant.

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Hagman, Lena	Halsey, Norman S
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Harding, May	Harrison, Miss E T
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Hughes, Miss Cloy V	Huezey, A M
Hyland, James P	Hynes, Mrs W
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Jewell, Mrs Edward	Jenson, Louis
Jimerson, Mrs Hilda	Johnson, Annie
Johnson, Hanna	Johnson, W N
Johnson, Walter Andrew	Jones, Mrs Charles
	Jonsola, Hilma
Katz, Hulda	Kaarsberg, S C
Keith, Lulu	Kessler, Mrs Martha
King, H J	
Lang, Phil	Lawson, Annie
Leamers, Joe	Lewis, Mrs Bell
Lindsay, Mrs E B	Lippitt, Miss Augusta T
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Lyons, B C	Lynch, Mrs Thomas
Marsh, C E	Martin, Miss Nina
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Parker, Mrs Z	Paurell, Mrs John
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Pierson, Mrs J J	Pierre, Josephine
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Ryals, Mrs W F	
Sauer, Mrs J	Scannell, Mrs Walter S
Schuller, Clara	
Silva, Antonio Luiz de	Smyth, Henry Lloyd
	Smith, Mrs Eva
Smith, Mrs Carrie Z	Smith, Mrs C A
Smith, Miss O B	Smith, Mrs Sofie
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Stern, Gosline	Stearns, W S
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Public Administrator's Report.

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W. H. Knight, Public Administrator of county respectfully makes this return of all estates of decedents which has come into his hands for the term commencing July 1, 1894, and ending January 1st, 1896, in accordance with the provisions of Section 1736, Code of Civil Procedure of California.

Number of Estate	Date of Issuance	NAME OF DECEDENT.	Approximate Value of Estate as Far as Ascertained	Money Which Has Come Into the Hands of the Public Administrator	Fees, Expenses, Funeral Expenses, Debts, Family Allowances, Paid by the Public Administrator	Balance of Money on Hand	Administrator's Fees Paid	Remarks.
	1895.							
4327	May 18	T. J. Walsh						In litigation.
4367	July 8.	Elizabeth L. Cook	$ 150 00	$ 3 70	$ 3 70			In litigation.
4371	July 17.	Franciska Haag	1,500 00	419 08	429 00	$ 20 08	$50 00	
4382	July 23.	Jane Williams	1,250 00					
2619	July 31.	William P. Clark	7,900 00					All real estate.
4397	Aug. 6.	Catherine Mann	1,101 20	1,181 20	478 97	853 23	78 00	
4405	Aug. 22.	Andrew Gram	1,210 90	1,210 90	180 54	1,030 36		
4414	Aug. 26.	John Keller						
1113	Aug. 29.	William H. Scott						
1163	Sep. 3.	George M. Francis	28,040 56	1,515 17	563 72	981 45		
4433	Sep. 3.	John Curry, special						
4438	Sep. 16.	Frank W. Cunniff						Undetermined interest in residue of estate.
4409	Sep. 16.	Louisa K. Gwynn	500 00					In litigation.
1143	Sep. 30.	Gustav Johnson	226 80	26 80	20 00	6 80		
1447	Oct. 8.	William F. Cashman						Contest pending.
4476	Oct. 8.	Frank N. Fischer, special						
4476	Oct. 21	Frank N. Fischer	10,000 00	5,811 38	2,977 75	2,863 63		
4453	Nov. 6.	John P. Herrick						Letters issued for litigation.
1177	Nov. 11	N. J. Connelly						In litigation.
4480	Nov. 11.	George W. Taft						Contest pending.
4405	Nov. 12.	F. G. Gallagher						In litigation.
4499	Nov. 12.	E. G. Gallagher						In litigation.
3908	Nov. 12.	John Brady						In litigation.
3607	Nov. 18.	Dina Y. Sake	2,655 25	2,655 25		2,655 25		
4493	Dec. 2.	Augusta Hartvig	400 00					
4520	Dec. 9.	W. B. Lewis	211 50	61 50		61 50		
4539	Dec. 10.	Andrew Patterson						Undivested interests in real estate.
4500	Dec. 10.	James McKeown						Not yet received.
4542	Dec. 16.	A. J. Alver						Character of estate undetermined.
4561	Dec. 30.	Sarah J. Duffy						In litigation.
		Total	$55,878 88	$12,758 08	$ 4,352 78	$ 8,205 30		

State of California, County of Alameda, } ss.

W. H. Knight being first duly sworn according to law deposes and says that he is the Public Administrator of said Alameda County, that the foregoing is a full, true and correct return of all estates of decedents which have come into his hands for the estates hereinbefore named; that he is not and was not at any time interested in the expenditures of any kind made on account of any estate he administered nor is he associated in business of otherwise with any one who is so interested.

W. H. KNIGHT.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7d day of January, A. D. 1896.

(Seal.) F. J. WOODWARD, Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California.

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WASHINGTON ECHOES

A Glance at Congress and a Few Pointers About the Session.

CALIFORNIA IS DOING WELL.

Her Representatives Placed on Some of the Best Committees.

A CALL ON THE PRESIDENT.

How Speaker Reed Neatly Met the Administra ion's Star Play.

Special Correspondence of The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—The customary lull has succeeded the storm, and the condition of things about here today would seem to justify one taking that old chestnut down from the shelf, "All quiet on the Potomac," trim up its whiskers and introduce it as exactly expressive of the situation.

Congress has practically taken a recess until next Monday, and as announced by Mr. Dingley, the Republican leader in the House, no legislation of any kind will be thrown into the hopper until then.

It is true that the House meets today at high noon and promptly at the minute you will see the great, lumbering form and roguish, funny-looking face of Tom Reed enter from the door at the right of the chamber, and after ascending to the speaker's desk rap the House to order with the gavel the old "soger" boys of Vallejo hewed from one of the timbers of Farragut's flagship Hartford. And it is also true that you will see a good-sized handful of people scattered among the 360 desks with heads bowed down in silent supplication waiting to receive the perfunctory blessing from the good old blind chaplain, but if you are on to the little game you would easily understand that this is one of the nice little schemes in line with that other one of turning the clock back the members have when they want to get home to enjoy their New Year's turkey.

The Speaker hardly waits until the chaplain is through with his prayer and, the member entrusted with the duty has moved that the House adjourn until Monday, January 6th when he puts the question and announces "the ayes seem to have it, the ayes have it, and the House stands adjourned until Monday, January 6th."

Of course I don't want you to infer and I don't propose to intimate that the members of the California delegation are remotely interested or are parties in any way to any such a transparent deception, for every man will be in his seat ready and anxious to respond to his country's call, if it is only to vote for an appropriation of $700,000 for a postoffice for Oakland, or $200,000 for a similar building for Alameda, but I don't suppose it is violating any confidence if I tell you in a low whisper and you keep mum about it, that they are a long way from home.

CLEVELAND'S STAR PLAY.

President Cleveland can say at last he has done at least one act during his most unfortunate administration that has met with a popular response—sending his message to Congress on the Venezuelan question. With the exception of a few Anglo-phobites, money-manikins and choice collection of New York preachers who have a less regard for the national honor than they have for the measure of coin in their contribution plates, every last son of Adam from Maine to California was fairly shouting, "Go it, 'Old Ducks,' we are with you." Unionists and Confederates, Northerners and Southerners, Republicans and Democrats, were united for once at least and ready and eager to have another whack at the detested red coats from across the sea.

But all this talk of war, over John Bull's bulldozing and hooting tactics in poor little helpless Venezuela has about gone glimmering. Already cunning old Salisbury is rubbing all the remaining hairs off his big bald head in trying to conjure up some scheme so he won't altogether choke to death when he swallows the bitter dose Uncle Sam has prepared for him. But he knows he has got to take it whether he wants to or not, and the shrewd old fox who has been playing the game of diplomacy for a half of a century knows better than anyone else the absolute necessity of delay so that the temper of the American people can have time to cool off.

The suggestion and appointment of a commission by Cleveland to inquire into and arrive at all the facts in regard to the Venezuelan boundary has helped him out of about the deepest hole he ever got into. There is no certainty when this commission will report, but from what has been intimated it is not supposed that it will conclude its labors for from four to six months.

John Bull could not ask for anything better than that, and if he does the right thing he will come to the rescue of this administration's bankrupt treasury and offer to defray all the expenses and throw Canada in to boot. Secretary of State Olney has all the facts and knows all about this case and all the necessary data and papers have been on file in the State Department for months, showing beyond any question that the Schomburck delineation is a myth and that the English contention is founded on pure and unadulterated gall and nothing else.

A committee of Congress could have been appointed and inside of a week, if they had only worked fifteen minutes a day, just as certain and satisfactory results could have been obtained as will be had by this $100,000 commission with all of its incident frills and buncombe paraphernalia. The final result of this whole business will be that Venezuela will pay a nominal sum for committing certain overt acts in violation of international law, get all the territory she has contended for, and more than she can properly handle, and Englishmen will throw up their hats and howl "God save the Queen" for having achieved another glorious diplomatic victory and saved the proud name of old England from being smirched.

But of all the snubs that England is getting just now from almost every quarter the note of Emperor William of Germany to President Kruger of the Transvaal is decidedly the worse. That looks like rubbing it in. Just think of it, England for centuries has been subsidizing a lot of German relatives of the Queen for no other earthly purpose than to secure at least the moral if not the physical support of that country in the event of any trouble arising—just such as the present one—and then have the German bankers, with the consent, of course, of the government, stand ready to take our loan, and then at the same time to see the ungrateful but impulsive young Emperor twist his grandmother's nose. By the shades of my ancestors who didn't come over in the Mayflower it is too infernally bad, and it makes the little drop of my mother country's blood that is supposed to linger in the end of one of my big toes boil with indignation when I think of it.

A DEMOCRATIC STOP.

But the funniest part of all this hullabaloo is taking place right here in Washington. No sooner had the purport of the President's message penetrated the thick skulls and congested brains of the Democratic minority in the House than they commenced to prick up their ears and show some signs of visible life. Some of the old mossbacks who were so stunned by the great national calamity—as they call it—of last November and were never tired of "cussing" Cleveland for causing it, suddenly became exceedingly valuable in shouting his everlasting praise. After the session was over you could hear them in the corridors of the capitol discussing the situation and exclaiming in stentorian tones: "Yes, sir, by gud, sir, Cleveland, sir, is the greatest living American, by gud, sir. Why, sir, in my State, sir, the grand old commonwealth of Virginia, sir, if Mr. Cleveland, sir, is before the people, sir, at the coming election, sir, we'll give him 100,000 majority, sir, by gud, sir. Yes, sir, Mr. Cleveland, sir, is the greatest living American, by gud, sir."

There is no concealing the fact—for a time it did look as if the occupant of the White House held the joker and both bowers, and that the Republicans would simply have to fall in and follow suit, but they forgot to take the unsophisticated Thomas Brackett Reed of the State of Maine into consideration.

Thomas Brackett is somewhat resourceful himself, and when they get him into a corner he always manages to wobble out some way or other. When he was appealed to by some of his friends to know what was going to be done, Thomas simply winked his other eye and kept on sawing wood; but Thomas lost no time in getting his "trolley" into good working order.

That same evening he called his lieutenants together and told them that our good President must be sustained at all hazards in his patriotic efforts to maintain the principles of the Monroe doctrine and incidentally our national honor. The best and only way to do that was to fill up his ample coffers with hard, bright shekels, which could and must be done by increasing the tariff on imported goods. Having settled that to Thomas' satisfaction, he told them that Mr. Carlisle's gold reserve was in a most deplorable condition, and must be brought up to tide water mark without any delay. This he proposed to do by providing for a popular loan on the very lines that the Secretary had previously advised — a low denomination five year bond at 2 per cent interest.

When the Democrats saw that the Republicans were prepared to see their bluff, and were going to play the game on their own lines to a show-down, they did just what everybody supposed they would do when they are out-maneuvered and circumvented—go off in a panic, charging their victorious foes with taking advantage of their country's distress by re-imposing the robber tariff. If Cleveland wants the money as badly as he says he does, and no one doubts it, he must take it on Republican terms or not at all.

I had an opportunity yesterday of gratifying my curiosity, and one that is not very often vouchsafed to an ordinary mortal. That so, I was not slow to take advantage of it. While paying his respects to the President on New Year's day with other Congressmen, Mr. Hilborn was invited by President Cleveland to call up and see him. Mr. Hilborn asked me to accompany him, not knowing whether the rigid rules excluding the public would be so far relaxed as to allow me to enter the sacred portals or not.

We presented ourselves at the White House about 11 o'clock, and, as the President was engaged at the moment, Secretary Taurber filled in the short time we had to wait by telling us what an excellent commission the President had appointed on the Venezuelan question, and some other comments in praise of the course his chief had recently adopted. As soon as the room was clear, the Secretary, very unexpectedly to me, ushered us both into Mr. Cleveland's presence.

The President got up and came forward very pleasantly, extending his hand, and invited us to be seated. He swung his chair around toward the window, crossed his legs and at once gave me the impression, which I soon found to be correct, that he was glad to talk to some one who was not importuning him for a favor. He put me at my ease at once, and I listened to him tell of his experience in receiving the crowds on New Year's day with a good deal of pleasure. He is a very free and interesting talker, and before the twenty minutes were up that we were there, I came to the conclusion that I would like to make one of his party on a fishing excursion or a duck shoot.

While the President and Mr. Hilborn were talking over some official matters, Secretary Carlisle stepped in, but immediately retreated, saying he would take a seat in the outer room and wait until we were through. This was a sufficient hint for us to draw our interview to a close.

On departing, the President again arose and extended his hand. I was very much surprised at his appearance. He has evidently taken on considerable flesh since I last saw him, and his face which was then the color of parchment, is as ruddy and healthy as a well fed gourmand. Cleveland evidently is a long way from being a sick man, as out is led to believe from some of the reports that are circulated.

THE HOUSE COMMITTEES.

Speaker Reed, in selecting the committees of the House, has been especially generous and kind to California. Two chairmanships for the Golden State, while the great States of Ohio, Indiana and Illinois have only one each, and many more with much larger population not even one, is convincing proof that the Speaker still remembers the attachments he formed for the great Pacific State and its importance as an integral part of the Union.

But Mr. Hilborn, of all the members of the delegation, was by far the best taken care of. His assignment on two of the very best committees of the House, Naval Affairs and Public Buildings and Grounds, and in both instances at the head of the list of new assignments, was an honor that even a member of long service might well be proud of.

He is now in a position where he can be of some use to his district and his State, and it goes without saying with those who know of his practical way of doing things and his determination to get what he goes for, that Oakland will at this session get an appropriation for a postoffice, and so will Alameda, if any cities do.

Congress meets on Monday for social business and from then for the next five or six months the Republicans will prepare the way to put the country on its legs again. J. C. BOATMAN.

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MURDER CRIES OUT.

All Oakland Is Interested in the Massacres in Armenia.

Editor Tribune: Sir—With regard to the proposed mass meeting to be held Monday evening (tonight) to denounce the Armenian massacres, a few pertinent criticisms thereof may not be amiss.

Considering the moral tone and professedly religious and humanitarian spirit of church going and God worshiping people of this ethical and religious community, where so many societies and aggregations of inquiring minds regularly meet to discuss economic social and national questions, where churches abound and associated charities annually dispense thousands of dollars with good cheer to alleviate local destitution—I say does it not show unquestionably heartless procrastination, not to say downright indifference on the part of our preachers, God's ordained chosen few, to have delayed the discussion of this subject so long. Ah God! how the hearts of nations have been wrung at those barbarities, which have been scarcely paralleled since Saint Bartholomew's Day or the slaughter of the innocents. Where have been the "leading citizens," the city officials, the prominent men of this fair city during the past month that we have not had a sympathetic expression of opinion in mass meeting ere this late day?

Latest authentic dispatches place the number of Armenians slain at 50,000 persons, mostly men. A great host. Well may we have shuddered and sent in resolutions of stern condemnation of this carnage to our Congress several weeks ago. When a mass of Christian people equal to five-sixths of our city population have been killed in ruthless slaughter, though it be in a foreign land, why have we so long delayed in our formal expressions of sympathy? Great mass meetings have been held in many principal cities of the Eastern States weeks ago, aye, a month ago, loudly denouncing these outrages, and their influence has been made manifest, as witness the recent action taken by Congress in the matter by keeping a fleet of war vessels in readiness in Turkish waters "to give a moral effect to such urgent demands on Turkey as the government might determine upon."

Shame, shame upon us. Surely we must be a community of stoics to thus have remained silent while rivers of blood have flowed. May God forgive our impassiveness while we ponder anew the old truth, "Man's inhumanity to man makes countless thousands mourn."

BROAD-AX.

Oakland, Jan. 12, 1896.

Kindergarten Work.

The regular monthly meeting of the board of managers of the West Oakland free kindergarten was held Friday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Robert Watt, corner of Fourteenth and Madison streets. Several new subscribers were reported, and it is earnestly hoped the coming year will bring many sympathetic friends who will be willing to render material aid to the good work so steadily growing.

Zeigler Signed.

The announcement is made by David G. Shafer, manager of the Syracuse racing team, that Otto Ziegler, the "little demon," will join the team this season. A deal has been closed with him and Ziegler will go into training at once. The team will make a tour of the State as soon as the season opens.

SATURATED IT WITH OIL

The Proprietor of a Chicago Store Charged With Arson.

A Lucky Discovery That Prevented a Huge Midnight Blaze.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—Isaac D. Kramer one of the proprietors of a wall paper store, No. 234 Cottage Grove avenue, is under arrest charged by the police with an attempt at arson.

He is accused of having used oils, shavings and a candle to construct the groundwork for a fierce midnight fire in the big Marathon flat building near Twenty-third street and Cottage Grove avenue.

Had it not been discovered by the janitor, Charles Eisle, the occupants of 39 flats would have been subjected to danger by fire or suffocation, and the owners of twelve stores would probably have been burned out.

About midnight Friday night, as Eisle was making his rounds he noticed the odor of oil near the store of Kramer Bros.

There was a light burning in the store and the air had a hazy or bluish appearance inside the store.

Eisle, having no key, went to the home of Isaac D. Kramer, near by, and as he was not at home left word for him to come at once to the store and himself called at the engine house next door.

A fireman went with him and they gained access to the store by the use of an ax. They found the faucets of two gasoline barrels open and 104 gallons of fluid already run out on the floor.

At this moment Isaac D. Kramer arrived and at once declared there was "something behind it all," and suggested a search of the basement.

The search revealed the whole plot. In the center of the room were found three cans of oil, open.

Between them was a pile of excelsior saturated with oil, and on top of the shavings was a small board upon which was found a lighted candle burned down to within an inch of the board.

The board was rough and thoroughly saturated with oil, and the excelsior was scattered over it in such a manner as to insure its taking fire.

An explosion would have followed in a few minutes. The matter was reported to the officials of the fire department and an investigation was made which resulted in the arrest of Kramer Saturday night on a charge of attempted arson.

He gave bond in the sum of $20,000 and was released. Kramer says he is not guilty and believes the whole thing was done by an enemy of the janitor.

HOW TO ATTAIN SUCCESS

Attention Called in an Artistic Way to Our Many Mistakes.

Lessons That Oaklanders Will do Well to Take to Heart.

The following able paper on "Some Elements of Success" was read at the last meeting of the Ebell Society:

"The true prosperity of a city is dependent on growth in many directions,—keeping pace with the development of the many worlds,—of its moral world; of its intellectual world, of its business world, running through each the great stress of a common human element.

"The simplest of all these worlds is the business world,—that world which man lovingly chooses for himself, but in which fate has placed him because life means work, and man must not only live himself but must earn a livelihood for those dear to him, for those dependent upon his efforts. The prosperity of Oakland! Its material prosperity, its commercial prosperity is so dependent on the business world, that world which has never had a fair chance, because it is so close to the larger business world across the bay, because the larger tends to absorb the lesser always,—and the struggle of our merchants for existence has not always been properly appreciated. One reason for it too, is that many of our homemakers have business interests across the bay, and have not given local attention to commerce at Oakland which one had a right to expect from her citizens. But it is through our business people that there will be a quickening of the commercial life of the town,—the first element to their success is the loyalty of the people back of them,—the determination to patronize it,—to stand by it at all hazards.

"It is not a narrowing policy in any way. It is only remembering that people must live to our business people that they have a right to expect at our hands. They have had a hard time in these latter days of the financial depression; these many merchants have acted out bravely when they could; they have had to carry many a family safely through, who at they could most ill afford the added burden. Our women are loyal,—here she is everywhere, the great woman world, with its enlarged could world, will stay on its own side of the bay during the coming year,—the Oakland woman with outstretched hands, will greet the Oakland merchant bringing to him that plenty, which will mean for him the first element of success.

"There is nothing like a thorough awakening. The depression has hit hard all around. Prosperity is rarely a teacher. It takes adversity to send a lesson squarely home. As a community we have learned our lesson, and having learned it we are ready to stand by our business world, with a great hearted generosity, with a womanly good will that will make a business tide flow over our city such as she has never heretofore known in all her history.

"Oakland means 'home' to us all, let us be fair, just, generous,—giving a great, friendly encouragement to our merchants, our manufacturers. It may be only a little that each one of us can do—but it is the aggregate that counts,—the personal effort of each one tells in the ultimate success.

"Commercial Oakland! With good fortune to it my sisters,—she will reach her true greatness, when to help her there is put forth the true woman effort,—the one sure element of success.

"It is intellectual Oakland, of which many of us have been most proud in the past, which has been the distinguishing characteristic of our city,—it is its high standard which we care to keep up,—which should be the pride of its women, a city is of value in proportion to its intellectual advancement.

THE PRESS.

"Woman's work should lie along many different intellectual lines;—in the first place she should exert what influence she may in endeavoring to shape the policy of the modern newspaper. For by way of the newspaper lie many strong elements of intellectual success. The great daily papers—the one great literary lever—full of interest because through it one may feel the great pulse of the world, the great heart throb of humanity. Here are clearly shown the heights to which a man may climb, the depths to which he may fall. It is the great teacher, the great preacher to the multitude, its power growing greater day by day in a public which believes in its freedom.

"For the daily newspaper does not reflects the best elements in life for the most part—it is a history of a day always, but rarely the true history of the great middle class that make up the bone and sinew of a community.

"It should be the effort of each woman who is the home center to see to it that only those newspapers whose tone is moral should find entrance in her home,—she should lift her voice in the land, in a fervent prayer for a newspaper that may not lower the moral tone of her growing boys;—for newspapers in the home that may not bring the quick flush to her face, as she sees her daughter open it in the morning.

"If women would try for it they could succeed in getting something approaching an ideal newspaper,—the newspaper that speaks out honestly, earnestly what it knows to be true. The world has a right to much more at each good man than it is getting at present. Intellectual strength in a community lies only in a free interchange of thought,—from it comes breadth—a universal sympathy. Women could obtain it if they asked for it loudly enough, a newspaper which would show strength along culture lines, which would reflect the finer elements of life, which would catch a glimpse here and there of the flashing spark which men call genius, which would reflect sometimes the rare tender the running through humanity marking the brotherhood of man.

"Intellectual development has little to do with all this modern sensationalism, which is hindering the cause of justice, making fair trials difficult things to obtain in our free land; modern journalism showing a strange picture, a mad chase after so-called "scoops"—till the woman of today cries out against it all, and pleads where she can for a journalism that shall represent truly at least the ordinary life of a great American people. Take some interest in trying to elevate wherever possible the daily press, stand by all those papers which shall truly represent Oakland's interests, and lo, running firmly through Oakland life,—a great strong element of success. One characteristic of Oakland is the close relation between its intellectual and social life;—while developing a social life on a high plane, the women of Oakland are finding time to study as well,—making the character growth remarkable, bringing a breadth, a strength, a true depth to the society world, which one is not accustomed to see in perhaps larger cities.

"There is no need to speak before you all of the work along social and intellectual lines of the Ebell society;—its recent achievement is still fresh in your mind,—the impetus given to thought, to trade, in our city, in our State, by the spontaneous work of a brave little band of women. Well may our men look in wonder at the effort, at the result—well may it be said far and wide in the city—an element of its success,—"The Ebell Society."

"The growth of the moral world, commensurate with the growth of all the other worlds,—more than that—a moral element which weaves itself about, into and through all other worlds.

"Nor knowest thou what argument,
Thy life to thy neighbor's creed has lent"

—the essential element to success, the growth of a great humanitarian principle, which draws one close to his fellow man,—which makes him sympathize with his efforts,—which makes him infinitely tender with his brother because he divines the pathos in his life, because together they reflect the infinite divinity of God. An element of success,—the broad love of humanity, in itself the love of God,—a breadth of faith in one's fellow man which knows no fear,—a great religion based on the universal brotherhood of man,—which is bounded by no creed, by no sect, bounded only by the all-protecting, infinite love of God. Faith in the goodness of the great world, belief in its truth, in the facts of life,—a certain knowledge that things are ordered wisely and well,—with that line of thought running through life, a great strong element of success is assured.

"Belief in ourselves,—faith in ourselves as a people,—a confidence unshaken in the great future lying before the city so dear to our hearts—that of itself would be a powerful element of success in the future prosperity of Oakland. That city has a sure safe element for good when it can gather together a company of earnest women, whose theme for discussion shall be—how they may best aid in advancing the prosperity of the city where they have made their homes.

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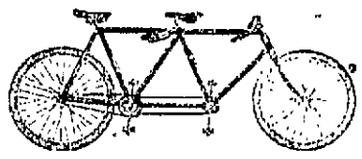

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CULLINGS IN THE COUNTY

Notes of General Prosperity in the Interior Towns.

Personals, Business Notes and News of a Thriving Section.

The following are the latest happenings throughout the county:

Haywards.

The dispute as to the boundary between the Petermann estate and D. S. Smalley has been settled, and Geary and Grindell, as a consequence, intend to proceed with work upon their new stable.

Prof. Goss of Oakland has succeeded Miss Susie Hobart as teacher of oratory in the school.

The Berkeley Gymnasium offers excellent inducements to children taking it and it has been a matter of surprise to many that the business has not been taken up by more people.

The pound master is exterminating and imprisoning untagged and vagrant canines.

The Review says that travel on the Southern Pacific local train to Oakland is much lighter than it was during the summer and it has been rumored that the service would be reduced.

The Journal says that the trustees of Laurel school district will soon have to take action to secure more school room, because at the present time all the rooms are crowded, more especially in the lower grades.

Haywards will have no delinquent tax list to publish this year. Of the $7,600 levied all of this amount except $5 or $6 has been paid, and the small amount outstanding will be all settled before the time to publish the delinquent list arrives.

Livermore.

Miss Christensen will reopen her kindergarten Monday, January 20th.

Three men in a boat ordered Chris Pape to desist fishing at Lake Chabot a few days ago. Pape did not heed them, whereupon they fired three shots in his direction. Pape then brought his revolver into action and the boatmen rowed out of danger.

The Journal says that the prolonged cold has knocked the early pea crop in the head.

The League of Progress is most enthusiastic. It has already aroused public sentiment to the necessity of replacing the old sidewalks of the town with walks of artificial stone, and the trustees have started in on the work by advertising for bids on walks of that kind on Lizzie street from First to M. A Berkeley contractor has advertised to do the work for 9¾ cents a foot.

The midwinter edition of the Herald will appear Saturday next. It will consist of at least twenty-four pages and will illustrate the town and Livermore valley.

M. Luders, the well-known rancher, fell from the top of a thirty-five foot haystack a few days ago, broke several ribs and was badly bruised about the head.

San Leandro.

The Bank of San Leandro is in a prosperous condition and has re-elected the old directors.

The Oakland, San Leandro & Haywards electric road is having a new fuel saving invention placed on its furnaces. It is a small and simple contrivance, which forces a jet of steam through the coals from beneath the grates, giving a heavy draught.

The citizens in the vicinity of the South San Leandro station assembled at the station on Sunday and were photographed by their popular photographer, Mr. Downing.

Mt. Eden.

In the fight between principal Bowlands of the Mt. Eden school and Trustee Meininger the people of Mt. Eden have taken a hand. On the 5th inst. they held a mass meeting. With respect to the charges of Mr. Meininger that the conduct of Bowlands as principal of the school was part of a conspiracy to run him politically that Bowlands fought him and did his best to defeat him at the last trustee election for trustee, and also that Bowlands charged him with [illegible] the following was passed:

"Resolved, That we, the citizens and taxpayers of the district, have confidence in the principal, Mr. Bowlands, and do hereby express our sympathy with him in his efforts to rule his school with firmness and impartiality, and we do hereby request the trustees of Union district, from which we pay our taxes, to retain Mr. Bowlands as teacher, and whom we believe would have attained the same success in court had he been a member of boosting school labor. There is much in further.

"Resolved, That we believe Mr. Meininger [illegible] school [illegible] and request that he resign his office."

A [illegible] fever and we [illegible] organized the Coast [illegible] Victor Owen and others have the matter in hand.

During the past year there is about $2,000 worth of [illegible] and about $6,000 worth of [illegible] placed in the salt works. The laborers in the works, however, receive only $1 a day and have to pay their board and [illegible] out of that sum.

A [illegible] in the interest of social purity was held one day afternoon and evening in the First Baptist church at Stockton. Mrs. Sarah C. Sanford of Oakland was the chief speaker.

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